JAMES HUNTER FLACK Mr. James Hunter Flack, age 100, died Monday, Jan. 16, 2006 at his Destin, Fla residence.

For the majority of his adult life, Mr. Flack lived in Montgomery, Ala., where he developed exemplary timberland production with his company, Flack-Haney Forest Products, Inc., based largely in Elba, Ala, but with business interest also in Georgia and South Carolina.

A graveside funeral service was held Wednesday, Jan. 18, 2006 at Greenwood Cemetery, Montgomery, with Reverend Mike Hesse officiating and with Leak-Memory Chapel directing. Mr. Flack was proceeded in death by his son, James Hunter

Flack Jr.; a daughter, Margaret Flack; and grandson Dick McCown. Survivors include his wife: Eleanor Flack; one son: William Martin Flack; two daughters: Eleanor Kelley and Cammie





McLendon; 10 grandchildren Noel Scofield, of Elba, grew these 13 and 10 pounds turnips. They and nine great-grandchildren. are whoppers!

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Faith Caylor, Courtney Hall, Green, Aspen Grimes, Logan Katelyn Hutto, Nicole Lee, Harrison, Dakota Hobbs, Britney Magwood, Ryan Brooklyn Kersey, Zachary Watson, Kyle Turner 6th Grade: Shelby Adkins, Pearson, Taylor Pearson, Eli Claire Bailey, Amber Barnett, Senn, Emily Smith, Joshua Chad Beavers, Savannah Ellis, Tipton, Jesse Watson, Gage Lindsey Foster, Jena Freese, Wells, Hunter Winters

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Hospice. Walter Hill, CEO for the Thomas, Tyler Whitley Wiregrass United Way thanked the many volunteers who spent numerous hours assisting with the campaign. "It takes a lot of people working together toward a common goal to achieve a goal of this magnitude," Hill stated. "We could never have reached this milestone without the dedibehalf of the thousands of Wiregrass residents who will benefit from the programs and services provided by the agen-

cies we say thank you." The Wiregrass United Way has served the Wiregrass Area since 1938 currently funding 36 member agencies in Coffee, Dale, Geneva, Henry and Houston Counties. Funds raised by the Wiregrass United Way are utilized locally in the five county area. A committee of local volunteers determines how the funds are distributed among the member agencies. For more information call 792-9661 or visit their website at www.wuw.org.

Kimberly Stephenson

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Kaley Moore, Alysia Spivey, Ashlee Allen, Heaven Caldwell, Cassie Stephenson, Grady Kaitlyn Corbitt, Nathaniel Credille, Thomas Davis, Gage 5th Grade: Emily Anderson, Driskell, Hannah Ellis, Austin Miller, John Norris, Hanna

Dannley Mock, Teresa Moore, 6th Grade: Priscilla Bryan, Adam Bryant, Megan Coleman, Sloan Cotter, Kaitlan Crosby, Branden Forbes, Abbey Gatlin, James Haynes, Sanh Herbert, Laken Hornsby, Angel Insley, Matthew Richard, Kiana

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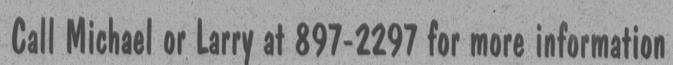
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Elba, Alabama

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While still no final decision made Dorsey bankruptcy hearing suggests deal in the works

by Ferrin Cox, Publisher and/or force a liquidation auc-Another Dorsey Trailer An asset purchase agreement, Bankruptcy Court hearing was necessary to close the deal, has held in Montgomery on not been completed, but attor-

No final decision was made ument before the scheduled on the sale of the Elba facility. February meeting. However, attendees at the hear- Attorneys are also still workings were optimistic that a final ing on a final plan of how to deal is in the works. The pro- divide the sale proceeds. The two weeks until February 7th. some creditors are secured, an THE ELBA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HELD A RIBBON CUTTING Wednesday, Jan. 18, in honor of Dr. Timothy Jetton open-During Tuesday's hearing, earlier damages lawsuit decision ing a new general family medical practice in Elba. Dr. Jetton's office is located across from the Elba General Hospital and Nursing Home, ADEM filed some forms which takes about \$250,000 of the and he offers appointments for all ages. Walk-ins also are accepted at the office. Elba Mayor James Grimes is shown above cutting the are expected to help clear up total, government liens come ribbon as Dr. Jetton officially is welcomed to Elba's medical staff. Standing next to Cirimes during the ribbon cutting is Dr. Timothy Jetton many of the environmental near the top of the list and total (right) and his wife, Shelby (holding their son, Andrew). Dr. Jetton's office staff includes Tracy Scofield, Jeana Hudson, Jill Jackson and issues which accompany the attorney fees must be deter- Janette Holladay. Elba General Hospital administration Ellen Briley (left of Mayor Grimes) and hospital board members also attended the

Comments made during the up the creditor claims indicate Miss Elba Caitlin Bradshaw and Miss Elba Kendall Stinson. They are surrounded by chamber members, hospital staff and local citizens hearing indicated there is a they don't expect there will be who attended the ribbon cutting ceremony to show support for Elba's newest doctorbasic agreement on the \$2.7 any funds for the unsecured million purchase price offered creditors of Dorsey Trailers Inc., Dr. Timothy Jetton opens general family practice in Elba by the Colorado investors, in fact there is probably not

Lawyers for several major cred- enough to hold the secured creditors indicated to the court they itors "completely whole" or don't plan to delay the sale with all their money back. C.C. Commission approves tax abatement for Wayne Farms

Wayne Farms.

The proposal presented to time, will be steel.

abatement of property tax at mately one month.

Economic Development Monday morning for permission — Corporation, said Wayne Farms to send out bids for concrete freezing and cutting facility. He unanimously approved. approximate \$10,180,000 and will bring approximately 68.

by Linda Hodge, Editor new jobs to the company. Weeks' motion passed by a 5- Florida, said he received his After making no decision at 1 vote. Commissioner Doug undergraduate degree from the first meeting of January, the Dalrymple cast the lone oppos- Florida State University, graduvoted Monday, Jan. 23, to Stephens was unable to attend Florida College of Medicine and Linda in Memphis, Tenn. He also

While the terms of the abate- Westbrook asked county engi- notes that he met his wife, ment were a bit different from neer Randy Tindell for an Shelby, while in Tennessee. those proposed, the end result update on the re-construction of While his wife continued her the bridge on County Road 365. college studies, Dr. Jetton said Commissioner J.L. Weeks This timber bridge was he began his career during offered a motion with a second destroyed by fire in early which time he gained three from Commissioner Tom January 2005; and Tindell said years of emergency room expe-Grimsley to give Wayne Farms employees with his department rience, completed one year of a tax abatement of one half the have prepared a new sub-struc- general surgery training and finsub-structure of the bridge, this dency.

commissioners during the Jan. Tindell said the bridge work returned to Florida with his wife 9th meeting asked for a tax should be completed in approxi- and opened a practice in moving after his wife became 1:30-3 p.m. at approximately \$28,504 per year Governor Bob Riley has community Dr. Jetton describes Andrew.

for the next five years. The offered a \$5,000 reward for as smaller than Elba. He quickly After a recruiter told the coumotion presented by Weeks this information leading to the arrest admits, though, that he had a ple about Elba, Dr. Jetton said by impressed with the music week called for an abatement of and conviction of the person(s) good practice in Chattahoochee, they interviewed and decided program at the elementary property tax at approximately responsible for the destruction. Due to various reasons, Dr. this would become their new school, and he said housing is a \$14,252 per year for the next 10 of this bridge. As of yet, howev- Jetton said he and his wife home. Frank Thompson, director of the search for those responsible.

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THE ELBA PLAYGROUND PROJECT HIT A SNAG RECENTLY as demolition work continued

Therefore, dirt work will have to be done to create a level ground. This unexpected addition to the proj-

ect will force additional work and funds. Therefore, during a meeting last Thursday evening. Jan. 19,

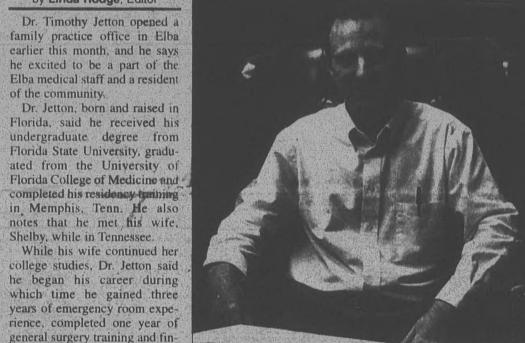
playground committee members discussed a possible need to postpone the playground's build date until

late August or early September. While this is a minor set back for the project, committee members are

confident it will not deter the overall goal - to build a state-of-the-art playground for local youth. Above,

committee members Jill Dunn and Laura Terrell look at the progress of the demolition work while dis-

cussing the recently revealed obstacle. Also shown are Dunn's children Garrett and Peyton.



ad valorem (property) tax for the ture for the bridge. He said the ished his family practice resineeds of the citizens of Elba and surrounding area. His office can be ing Dr. Jetton and his family, Then, in 2002, he said he contacted by calling (334) 897 4800

mined. Those who have added ribbon cutting. Holding the ribbon for Mayor Grimes is Junior Miss Elba Christina Bryant, Future Little Miss Elba Brayton Martin, Little

er, no arrests have been made, decided they needed to look at Among the attractions to small areas. During the Jan. 9th meeting, but authorities continue to During Elba City Council meeting

Enterprise Coffee Geneva Tindell asked commissioners Police Chief provides annual summary of department activity by Ferrin Cox, Publisher ducted the necessary business, school is moving along

by Linda Hodge, Editor

is planning to add a new blast placement. His request was The Elba City Council met members were present. said this expansion will cost an The meeting's agenda called James Grimes. However every-nance required to get a previ old high school to make the necthing was in order and Mayor, ously approved sewer improve essary room for the planned Pro Tem Ronnie Hammond con- ment grant. This ordinance says playground

on behalf of Grimes. All council. Grantham said He added that it

arbage truck this week and the vear short two officers.

Monday evening without Mayor The council adopted an ordit part of the adjoining wing of the that the City of Elba agrees that Hammond reported problems no sewer hook-ups will be made on Gray-Street with stopped up to structures which are in wet driveway pipes. This is causing lands, within the 100 year flood storm waters to back up and

> City Clerk Wayne Grantham Police Chief Freddy Hanchey eported that the new commer-gave council members an annuthe staging area at the dog ity. He noted that traffic arrests nto location within the city. He compared to 2004 but noted the expects delivery of the new department operated most of the

ity will be ready to take over During this same period crimhe garbage service at the end of a mal arrests were up from 290 to 390, an increase of 100 arrests

Area Happenings

THE ELBA ATHLETIC CLUB will meet Thursday, Jan. 26 (TONIGHT), at 7 p.m. at the Elba High School lunchroom. All at the site of the old Elba High School and future location of the proposed playground. Demolition of the . Elba Tiger supporters in all sports are encouraged to attend this school building's auditorium area revealed necessary site preparation that was not anticipated. The demolition of that part of the building uncovered a section of land that is much lower than the rest of the area.

THE MISS ELBA TEA will be Sunday, Jan. 29, at Moseley's Studio. All contestants should be prepared for their photogenic picture to be taken on this day. Future Little Miss and Little Miss Contestants should arrive at 2 p.m. Junior Miss and Miss Contestants should arrive at 2:30 p.m. The annual Miss Elba pageants will be held Saturday, March 4, at 6 p.m. from the Elba High School auditorium.

here in Elba," said Dr. Jetton. To have four doctors in a town his size is astronomical You also have good industry that a

lot of small towns don't." Dr. Jetton's general, family practice in Elba opened Tuesday, Jan. 3, and he said he treats a wide array of things Because of his year of surgical training, he said he also is able complete minor dermatolo cal procedures in the office: Also, Dr. Jetton said he is able

o complete well-women exams and well-child exams. His office is open Monday Friday, closing at Noon on Wednesday and Friday. Dr. Jetton said walk-ins are accepted daily

"We are glad and excited to be here in Elba," he said. "We have felt very welcome. For those interested in meet-

a welcoming reception Sunday. Chattahoochee, Fla., a small pregnant with their first child, wife enjoy the small town. Olde South Inn. located at 717 atmosphere. He said they liked. West Davis Street. Everyone is

NEWS BRIEF

Officers with the Elba Police Department responded Wednesday, Jan. 18, at approximately 12 a.m. to a sidence located at 716 North Claxton Avenue. Upon arriving on scene, they found that a white male, Garland Randy Bradshaw, had sustained two stab wounds in the

lower back. According to reports, the ncident began with an Bradshaw and his daughter, Brittney Joann Dudley, and Dudley's boyfriend, Dolan Wesley Tapia.

Officers said Dudley had returned home from the police department where she had filed a report, and illegedly, Tapia attempte to leave the residence when Bradshaw got a baseball bat and struck Tapia causing lacerations to his head.

rabbed a kitchen knife in an attempt to stop the fight. During the struggle Bradshaw was stabbed twice in the back.

Coffee County EMS transported Tapla and Bradshaw to Elba General Hospital, and Bradshaw was later transported to a Montgomery hospital. Brittney Joann Dudley

age 18, was arrested and charged with domestic vio-

lence second degree. Further charges are pending as the investigation con-

EDITORIAL

BRAINSTORMS with Ferrin Cox

We saw one happy mother Tuesday morning. Beth Henderson stopped by the office with tears of joy in her eyes and an announcement that her son, Jerry DuBose, was enroute home from Iraq. Any parent would have been happy over the news, but Beth had her wagon loaded for a while with three sons in the war zone at the same time! All three have now returned home safely. Later in the example of our day she called (about 12:30 Tuesday) with news that the members evolving technoloof the Elba National Guard unit were reportedly at an air base in Maine enroute to Hattiesburg, Mississippi. They have been in Iraq and take out the since February 8th, 2005. Beth was also about to be enroute to Hattiesburg for something or another . . like maybe to see her son! enemy without risk-

So far things in the Alabama legislature are continuing to run piloted devices such smoothly . . . at least on the surface. There are some rumblings, as UAV's represents actually Senate turf squabbles, that have been whispered about in the future of the past week. The Alabama politicians, those already in office. America's warwho plan to face the voters in potential tight races later this year are fighting and Fort hoping to keep it all to a low murmer in this critical election year. Rucker will play a Terry Everett As usual there are some outsiders who feel their chances of getting role in its evolution on the inside are better with massive and vocal confusion among into battlefield strategy. the incumbents. Choose your side--regardless of your position there Many Predator UAV's are seeing our nation's military nology to overcome our eneis someone out there looking for a fellow sympathizer!

Elba Mayor James Grimes is in Southeast Medical Center this and Afghanistan. The precision While I write this column, integrated with satellite commuweek following what was originally described as a "light heart of UAV strikes as well astheir news reports indicate that a nications and expertly trained attack". He reportedly watched ball games on the tube Saturday and ability to invade an enemy's air- Predator UAV attacked and personnel can work together to Sunday while propped up in a hospital bed. Tuesday afternoon he space unseen is but a part of eliminated two senior Al Qaeda make us safer. I am proud to was walking up and down the hall while awaiting some scheduled their uniqueness. Perhaps even members and the son-in-law of note that Fort Rucker is helping tests on Wednesday. For those wanting to send a card, etc., James more interesting is the fact that number two Al Qaeda official, advance this effort to both is in room 454 at Southeast. However, he could already be home by these vehicles are actually the time our readers get this bit of information. Please join us and remotely piloted by personnel keep James Grimes in your prayers.

There are signs that there will soon be changes in the Elba garbage UAV's are involved in eight pick-up. Shiny new dumpsters are being placed around town for combat missions a day (over businesses using those things. Plans are for the City of Elba to take 120,000 hours, so far) with over the garbage service at the end of the month, after some 20 increased involvement expectyears of contracting out the work. Of course that is if the new ed. UAV technology is now garbage truck arrives from Atlanta as promised. Elba residents will used across the military branchnotice little (or no) difference in service unless they happen to see es. As of September, the Army's the new truck driving around town. Pick-up schedules will remain UAV fleet has flown over the same as they are this week, according to City Clerk Wayne 110,000 hours.

Reports are flying over the internet accusing armed Mexican sol- seas, much of the groundwork diers of escorting drug smugglers into South Texas earlier this that has made UAV's such a week. It may just be the heat of the debate, but there are also success has been done at Fort charges that this is not the first time such has happened. All this is Rucker. In 2003, the Army coming to us from the Minutemen, the volunteer civilian group made the decision to shift the patrolling the U. S. border, but it sounds serious enough that we "proponency" for its UAV's want more information and maybe a demand for one of those for- from Fort Huachuca, Arizona to for ad sales information and questions. mal diplomatic protests to the Mexican government.

Fort Rucker involved in military's high-tech future

The news last week that a In short, Fort Rucker is helping an elusive enemy hidden in difredator model unmanned aerial transition UAV's from only ficult terrain are becoming more vehicle (UAV) fired precision information gathering to being frequent in the U.S. War on U.S. Congressman Terry Everett missiles at buildings along the actively involved in attack oper- Terror. Pakistani-Afghan border killing ations by developing ways to In December, Hamza Rabia, a Rayburn House Office Building. a number of Al Qaeda officials them more effectively on the top operational planner and Washington, DC 20515 or

gy's ability to target The use of remotely

flown today in support of ongo- space programs, including satel- mies. UAV's are an excellent ing military operations in Iraq lites utilized by UAV's.

As many of the benefits of

UAV's are being realized over-

Fort Rucker. Last July, Fort

37(0) 11(0) 28 stationed half the world away at

ba - ages 17-21.

by Congressman Terry Everett Rucker was named an Army Ayman al-Zawahiri in western defend America while also UAV "Center of Excellence." Pakistan. Such strikes against reducing risk to our military

new battlefield. third ranking member of Al phone (202) 225-2901 As a senior mem- Qaeda and four of his associates ber of the House were killed as a result of a Armed Services Hellfire missile fired from a BULLETIN BOARD Committee, I was Predator UAV. Predators also pleased to support killed Al Qaeda suspects in the establishment of Pakistan and Yemen, as well as Fort Rucker as an played a key role in capturing Army UAV "Center Saddam Hussein. It is also

of Excellence" last worth noting that the Hellfire year. Additionally, missiles fired from Predators are as chairman of the assembled at Lockheed Martin's House Armed Pike County, Alabama plant, Services subcommit- north of Troy. tee on Strategic America's greatest weapon is Forces, I am involved in over- its ability to marshal new tech-

owing 2nd Monday-6 p.m. - Cit · ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. es: - 8 a.m. Elba United Methodi •GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP-ever nday 6:30 p.m.-Elba Unit ethodist Church-enter on side on W. The 2006 Miss Elba pageantswill be Saturday, March 4, at 6 m. at the Elba High School auditorium. This year's theme is

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graders; Junior Miss Elba - 7th thru 10th graders; and Miss

d at Moseley's Studio. An entry fee of \$30 is due on this date,

d all entry forms will be given out at the time of arrival. All con-

stants should be prepared for their photogenic picture to be taken this day. Poture Little Miss and Little Miss Contestants should

ive at 2 p.m. Junior Miss and Miss Contestants should arrive at

Anyone interested in participating in this event should contact a pageant chairperson, Destiny Hudson (897-3619 or 494-3544)

dline for all entries is Sunday, Jan. 29, at the Miss Elba Tea,

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can be contacted at: 2312

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cause of showing appreciation My name is Clinton Daniel not only to the deceased, but to

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Culliver. My concern is of one I the family and everyone who hope to bring the attention of influenced Mr. Jordan's life. deceased Jason Jordan.

He is an influential person of MARY ELLEN BRYAN.

Community Cemetery, Elba, Parrish, Ozark, Ala.; one son: Flowers Hospital, Dothan.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Bryan, age with Haves Funeral Home Royal "Runt" (wife Flaine) Funeral arrangements will be deceased Jason Jordan. High School and enlisted in the and the Jordan family for Jason

United States Military. He was who went past the call of duty killed serving his country after and sacrificed his life for my 9-11 at the height of the War on freedom. Terrorism. Clinton D. Culliver

As an ex-military personnel I know the great feeling of coming home and getting handshakes, hellos, and thank you's from people I don't know simply because I chose to serve my country. But what saddens me is the fact that the school that helped raise him does not have a Horizon Vault & Monument

plaque, a picture, or anything in

memorial to our hometown

I would think that the same amount of pride of raising a professional athlete would be the same as someone who sacrifices his or her life for their country.

When people visit our town and our schools I would want them to know that other than being 3A state champs in '89 and '92, we also have present day heroes from this town. If money was the issue I would be the first to donate to the worthy

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An Incredible Journey

the village of Stromness. Located on the Ernest Shackleton, the legendary British explor-

remote island of South Georgia in the South er. Nearly eighteen months earlier, he had sailed

Atlantic, the sub-Antarctic island is the closest from the island as leader of a twenty-eight-man

men's hair was matted, their beards long and Antarctica. Their ship never reached land.

scraggly, and their clothes were little more

than rags.

The front door opened.

"My name is Shackleton."

"Well," said the man who came out.

Stepping forward, one of the three replied:

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Antarctic shore. By January 18, 1915, they were

within a day of reaching land. It was the closest

they would get, as the ice closed tightly around

in its vise-like grip. In mid-October, the ship's tim-

bers began buckling from the pressure.

Shackleton ordered his men to abandon ship

and set up camp on the pack ice. On October 27

they watched as their ship, crushed like a swat-

Could he return all of his men safely to England?

With no hope of rescuers ever finding them,

they could either become their own rescuers or

After living on the Ice for nearly six

nonths, they drifted within a hundred and fifty

miles of tiny, desolate Elephant Island. Out of

options, they launched the Endurance's lifeboats

and, on April 9, began rowing towards the island.

Battling fierce waves, the twenty-eight men

reached land 497 days after leaving South

Hurley's photographs to tell the remarkable National Public Radio and Minnesota Public First published in 1919, this is Shackleton's first per-

Now Shackleton faced a new challenge.

ted mosquito, slipped under the ice.

die. They chose not to die.

Walking Out of History

portraying the explorers

pher. This resource, prepared by Kodak, uses gram developed for American Radio Works by

Frank Hurley was the expedition's photogra- This resource is the companion to a radio pro- Last Expedition 1914 – 1917

For ten months, the ice held the Endurance

Obituaries

86, of Elba, Ala., died Sunday, directing...

Home in Elba. Jan. 24, 2006 from the Chapel and Bobby Bryan, and and great-grandchildren. of Hayes Funeral Home in infant son, William Edward Elba with Rev. Donnie Marler, Bryan. Rev. Elbert Smith, Rev. Wayne Survivors include two HOLLOWAY

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Mrs. Mary Ellen Bryan, age with Hayes Funeral Home Ronald "Runt" (wife Elaine) Funeral arrangements will be

Funeral services were held Bryan; two adult sons, Billy nine grandchildren and 11 MRS. IDA DAVIS

followed in the Friendship Glinda (husband Elgin) morning, January 23, 2006, at

Jan. 22, 2006 at Elba Nursing Mrs. Bryan was preceded in In-law: Jean Bryan, Brantley, Home. death by her husband, Alcus Ala., Patsy Moore, Opp, Ala.,

MRS. ESTELLE Webber and Rev. Wayne daughters: Mary Sue (hus- Mrs. Estelle Holloway age ments will be announced by O'Ferrell officiating. Burial band Donnie) Marler, Elba, 85 of Elba, AL died Tuesday Hayes Funeral Home.

Bryan, Elba; two daughters- announced by Hayes Funeral

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The Elba Police Department, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 18 pm.) beginning Monday, Jan. 16, Stabbing reported at 416 N. munications, one missing per- to 716 N. Claxton Ave. (12:26 son, eight for domestic violence, a.m.); Coffee County EMS disone reckless driving, three for patched to 716 N. Claxton Ave. criminal mischief, four for theft (12:34 a.m.); Disturbance of property, one criminal tres- reported on Tucker St. (12:58 passing, one domestic dispute, p.m.); Coffee County EMS distwo for harassment, two for patched to 349 Tucker St. (1:05 public intoxication, one driving p.m.); Minor wreck reported on under the influence, one harass- Packing House Rd. (5:58 p.m.). ment of a sports official, three for assault and one for discharg- THURSDAY, JAN. 19 ing a weapon.

The following arrests were

for speeding, three for no insur- Rd. (2:43 p.m.). ance, two for a suspended driver's license, one for running a SATURDAY, JAN. 21 - Coffee stop sign, one for a revoked dri- County EMS dispatched to the week were as follows:

County EMS dispatched to County EMS dispatched to the County Rd. 349 (12:17 p.m.). site of the old school (10:01

Routine activity.

made: two for domestic vio- FRIDAY, JAN. 20 - Coffee lence, two for harassment, one County EMS dispatched to 438 for criminal mischief, two for County Rd. 216 (8:49 a.m.); public intoxication, one for Fight in progress reported outharassing communications, one side of Elba Villas (12:56 p.m.); for failure to appear and one for Coffee County EMS dispatched driving under the influence. to 790 N. Claxton Ave. (1:06 Traffic citations issued during p.m.); Coffee County EMS disthe week were as follows: three patched to 1471 Packing House

ver's license, one for an expired Elba High School gym (12:00 tag, one for an open container p.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-Daily activity highlights for the (3:45 p.m.); Disturbance reported on Jackson Ave. (6:36 p.m.); MONDAY, JAN. 16 - Minor Possible domestic disturbance wreck (vehicle vs. gas pump) reported at 1110 Hickman Ave. reported at Mr. Henry's (8:03 (9:14 p.m.); Possible fight in a.m.); Possible shots fired progress reported in the Elba reported in the Mulberry Park MarketPlace parking lot (9:54 p.m.); Possible fight in progress reported at the site of the old TUESDAY, JAN. 17 - Coffee school (9:59 p.m.); Coffee,

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County Rd. 117 (9:30 a.m.) 2006, investigated the following Claxton Ave. (12:24 a.m.); SUNDAY, JAN. 22 - Coffee charged at 5836 County Rd. 364 incidents: one harassing com- Coffee County EMS dispatched County EMS dispatched to 656 (4:56 p.m.).

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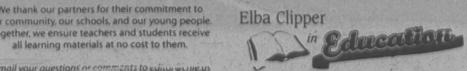
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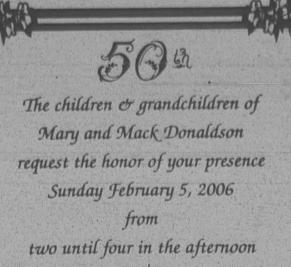
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Coffee County students named to UWA honor lists

The University of West dents must obtain at least a 3.25 Alabama has named one Coffee grade point average and attempt County student to the at least twelve semester hours. President's List for the Fall Dean's List students are: 2005 academic semester. To Richard Miller, Enterprise; and reach the President's List, stu-Rodney B. Kelley, Kinston. dents must earn at least a 3.80 grade point average while The Southeast Ala.

Named to the President's List February 2 was: Jessica M. Merklin, Elba. Two Coffee students were also listed on the UWA Dean's Beekeepers meeting has been List for the same period. To be changed from Thursday named to the Dean's List, stu- February 2nd to Monday

Coffee County residents be at 6:30 p.m. in the Coffee named to UAB fall Honors List

Eight residents of Coffee County were named to the University of Alabama at Whitaker at 334-894-2077. Birmingham (UAB) academic honor roll for the fall 2005 term.

Those making the dean's list included Sheena F. Whitaker, of New Brockton, a student in the School of Arts and Humanities. To qualify for the dean's list, a student must attend school fulltime and earn an overall total grade-point average of 3.6 to 3.9 on a 4.0 scale.

Is Monday!

HONOR ROLLS Deadline For Social News

Second Nine Weeks "A" HONOR ROLL:

FIRST GRADE

Alexandria Wiggins SECOND GRADE

Beekeepers to meet

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ELEMENTARY

SCHOOL _

Morgan Daugherty, Caroline purple statice. Attending the groom las/best

THIRD GRADE Lee Davis, Devin Finer, Marley Cartersville, Georgia. Coutney Moulton, Ben Nelson, are Mrs. Voncile Childs of the bride. Dylan Rhodes, Cody Rhodes, Geneva, Alabama, and the late After the ceremony, friends

FOURTH GRADE Karegan Davis, Laiken Free, gown of ivory silk with an over- Troy, Alabama. Avery Hataway, Mahala Johnson, Madison Weeks, Kelsey Carnly, C.J. Edwards, FIFTH GRADE Aubree Archie, Arissa Davis,

Mikeal Hataway, Kaleb Mack, Emily Mock SIXTH GRADE Brittany Moulton

"A-B" HONOR ROLL:

FIRST GRADE Alison Bailey, Cameron Carnley, Devin Cramblet, Alyssa Martin, Courtney Mock, Donnie Morrison, Breeann Biddle, Samuel Coale, Brandi Davis, Katie Mack, Dawson

SECOND GRADE Chevenne Gilmore, Cassidy Jackson, Dillin Odom, Jessica Spann, Mikayla Wambles, Alex Wise, Leis Bolin, Shyanne Carnley, Charlesia Edwards, Katlyn Grogg, Teri Lynn Hughes, Breanna Mock, Colby

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> Jackson, Clay Moss FIFTH GRADE Mikayla Bird, Jesse Driver, Gabby Grace, Andrew Holley, Katie Lowery SIXTH GRADE

Mary Mack, Katie Smith, Mason Davis, Brittany Smith;



Mr. & Mrs. Jamie Orell Parrish

Crowe-Parrish wedding held Saturday, January 7th

Mr. and Mrs. Willard lay of organza. The gown was Douglas Crowe of Elba accented with three rows of announce the marriage of their satin ribbon around the bodice daughter, Katie Elizabeth, to and also on the border of the A-Corey Carnley, Dawson Davis, Jamie Orell Parrish, son of Mr. line skirt. She wore a chapel Krysten Dorsey, Destinee and Mrs. Junior Orell Parrish, of length veil of illusion accented Harrison, Cole Lashley, Afton Brundidge, Alabama. The wed- with crystals which has also Smith, Whitney Thornton, ding took place January 7, 2006 been worn by her sister, Laura. Kristen Wilson, Alison Glass, on the sands of Panama City She carried a bouquet of laven-Austin Hataway, Traylin Jacobs, Beach, Florida at the Coral Reef der roses. Leslie Reeves, Victoria Weeks, Condominiums. Officiated by Matron of Honor was Mrs.

the Reverend Mart Gray, the Laura Terrell, sister of the bride. Nicholas Davis, Jodi Farris, ceremony was held beneath an Mrs. Leah Killingsworth and Adam Floyd, Ashton Holley, arch wrapped in white tulle and Ms. Emily Crowe, also sisters of Myra Hudson, Anna Lawson, ivy, topped with a floral swag of the bride, served as bridesmaids. Kelli Mack, Bridgett Stephens, beautiful purple larkspur, laven- Flower girls were Misses Krista Adkinson, Payton Bird, der roses and cremones, caspia, Brooke, Dana, and Haley Dexton Bowdoin, Lake Clark, white and lavender daises, and Parrish, daughters of the groom.

Hataway, Justin Hutchinson, Grandparents of the bride are man was his father, Mr. Junior Connor Linton, Dillon Mack, Mrs. Annie Laurie Wright of Parrish. Groomsmen were Amanda Reeves, Zack Smith Elba, the late Mr. Aubrey Lee Hayes and J. Cole Spicer, spe-Wright and the late Mr. and Mrs. cial friends of the bride, and Addy Archie, Noah Carnley, Elbert Constance Crowe of Taylor and Jared Parrish, sons of the groom. Ring bearer was Jacobs, Maeghan Moore, Grandparents of the groom Cole Killingsworth, nephew of

Braden Dorsey, T.J. Glass, Mr. Jack Childs, and Mrs. Lily and family attending were enter-Laken Pate, Lauren Reeves, Parrish of Brundidge, and the tained at a reception held in the Grayson Sessions, Lukas Taylor, late Mr. Hollis Parrish. lobby of the Coral Reef Karoline Thornton, Cody Given in marriage by her Condominiums. father, the bride wore a strapless The couple now resides in



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Rev. Stanley Carter, Pastor **Elba United Methodist Church**

Having written earlier about my oldest grandson, Sam, I have to give equal time to my newest, Ryan, Ryan was born on November THINKING AND PRAYING Bethlehem MB Church, Elba. Baptist Church Family Life Cayman Islands and Athens, 29, 2005 in Huntsville, Ala. After Ryan was born, our family gath- FOR YOU: Annie L. Williams, The members of the Southeast Center Friday evening, Jan. 20, Greece at the 2004 Summer ered for prayer. I thanked God for Ryan and the joy he would bring. Hillre Hooks, Mary T. Kelley. District 7 Shape Singing at 7:30 p.m. for a praise and Olympics. His message has but I also thanked God for the gift of life and the miracle of birth. Bettye Burks, Faye Manning, Convention #2 will render worship service. The Wilkerson been heard from Los Angeles. Life is a precious gift from God. It is amazing how God gave us Curtis Burks. Dimitri music. our five senses to enjoy life. God also gave us our families, friends. Crittenden, Nora Deamer and one another so we wouldn't be alone. God gives us our daily blessings, which are too numerous to count, because He wants us to JANUARY BIRTHDAYS enjoy life. Most of all, God gave us fellowship with Him through Peggy McBride-Jan. 10, Tony our Lord, Jesus Christ, so that we could really see how precious we Wright-Jan. 22, Maggie Head- AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTO- Woodland Grove Community. Main Street Enterprise, at 10

Life is also a very fragile thing. God gives each of us one day at McBride-Jan. 24, J. Dimitri Did you know? a time and we are to live it as if it were our last. Isaiah spoke of how Crittenden-Jan. 26, Randy George Washington Carver, sci- Benefit Gospel Singing planned January 28th "we all shrivel up like a leaf" (Isaiah 64:6). It was only after my Caldwell-Jan. 26, Kikko Logan- entist and inventor, saw his bout with cancer and radical surgery for it in 1999 that I realized Jan. 26, Robert Head- Jan. 27. many inventions as gifts from what Jesus meant about "take no thought about tomorrow". Tia Sherrise Kelley-Jan. 27. God that should never be owned (Matthew 6:34). I used to worry about a lot but now, as my wife, Feicia Coleman-Jan. 27, Larry and therefore never sought Sing at Mt Zion Baptist Church singers will be the Old Southern Nancy, will tell you, I don't worry about much. We should enjoy the Folmar-Jan. 27. Alice patents for them. day that God has given us. Life is too fragile for worry. As we enter this new year, may we realize that life is a precious of) and fragile gift from God. May we appreciate it, enjoy it, and live it

"The Bradys" to be in concert at Faith with the Antioch MB Church in

Assembly of God at Faith Assembly of God visitors to attend this event. The Church in Enterprise, AL, on church is located at 499 January 28, 2006, at 7:00 PM. Meredith Street in Enterprise. Damascus Baptist Church to sell barbecue CHAPTER # 29, Elba, AL, is Saturday, January 28th

The Damascus Baptist picked up between 11:00 a.m. Greater New Zion Baptist Church will sell Barbecue plates and 1:00 p.m. For more infor-Saturday, January 28 at the mation call 894-6382 or church. The plates may be (334)494-3929.

AARON J. WEBSTER Webster, son of Paula R. King of training. They performed close the

IN HIM DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH

WAS LIFE Sunday School 9.45 a m. Morn Worship 11.00 a.m.

recently completed 12 weeks of training. basic training at Marine Corps Webster and other recruits p.m. The banquet is sponsored Rivers 347-4212 or Eloise Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S. also received instruction on the by Club Yesepoch.

began their training at 5 a. m., by running three miles and perWebster and fellow recruits

host Gospel Singing

Marine recruits both physically honor, courage and commitso Webster and fellow recruits mean in guiding personal and

lations, combat water survival, addressed as "Marines" for the mile past Wayne Farms. Pastor marksmanship, hand-to-hand first time in their careers.

Round & About With Eria 897-2006

SCRIPTURE: HEBREWS Church, Elba, AL, at 7:00 PM.

Jan. 23 (In memory of), Leonord RY Hammonds-Jan. 28 (In memory The first African American

with God by our side realizing that no matter what happens- God is THE MULBERRY BAPTIST States was located in Laymen's Unions will convene Richard Allen in 1787. J. M. Bryant presiding.

> THE ORDER OF THE -Yosef Ben-Jochannan, histo EASTERN STAR EQUITY rian having a dinner and program Today is a good day! Be grate-Sunday, January 29, 2006, at ful.

Black History Banquet to be held Saturday, February 4th

she is a black woman!

Henderson 347-3398

Marine Corps Pvt. Aaron J. combat and assorted weapons History Banquet will be held at Sports Reporter from Herndon, Elba, Ala, and Kenneth D. order drill and operated as a Community College, Enterprise For ticket information call: Webster of Montgomery, Ala., small infantry unit during field on Saturday, February 4, 2006. Essie DuBose 347-2854, Mary The event will begin at 6:00 Merritt 347-8585, Jamesie

and mentally parameter ment, and what the core values Vanderbilt Holiness Church to

forming calisthenics. In addition ended the training phase with Vanderbilt Holiness Church Roy Turner and the church conto the physical conditioning pro- The Crucible, a 54-hour, team will be having a Gospel Sing gregation encourages visitors to gram, Webster spent numerous evolution culminating in an with "Resting Place" on January attend this Gospel Sing. For hours in classroom and field emotional ceremony in which 28, 2006 starting at 6:00 PM. more information call 334/347assignments which included recruits are presented the The church is located on Coffee 0569, 334/894-5021 on learning first aid, uniform regu- Marine Corps Emblem, and County Road 114 about one (1) 334/808-1022.

Praise and worship service set for Sunday, January 28th at Woodland Grove Baptist Church Jamie Johnson, co-founder of ages are encouraged to attend

Crossfire Ministries and former this exciting event. All-American athlete at Jamie has shared his message Montreat College, Keith in universities, school assem-Brockman, 6 time All-World blies, prisons, youth rallies, softball player, and Mike Clark, summer camps and churches The guest speaker will be Rev. also with Crossfire Ministries, across the United States as well Darryl Caldwell, pastor of will be at Woodland Grove as Romania, Cuba, St. Tomas, Family will bring a message Calif. to the Inner-city of Sister Estella Hooks, Elba, is through their Bluegrass style Memphis, Tenn.

asking everyone for their sup- gospel music. Children, youth and adults of all a.m.

Crossfire Ministries will also The church is located at 5107 speak Sunday, Jan. 22, at County Road 239 in the Community Church of God,

at Mt. Zion Baptist Church

There will be a benefit Gospel January 28th at 6 p.m. Featured (Mixon Cross Roads) on Gospel Singers.

Episcopal Church in the United Opp Church of God to hold District Ministers, Deacons, and Philadephia, founded by revival services February 6-10

Revival at the Opp Church of The church is located at 803 Andalusia, AL, on January 29. Notable quote: Dipped in God with Pastor and Evangelist Virginia Ave., Opp. AL. For

2006, at 9:45 AM, with Rev. chocolate, bronzed with ele- Greg Adkins is being held more information, call Pastor "The Bradys" will performing Faith Assembly welcomes Gary Barnes pastoring and Rev. gance, enameled with grace, February 6-10 at 7:00 PM night- Buford Smith at 334-469-9200. toasted with beauty...my Lord, Iv. and everyone is welcome.

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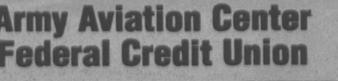
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Elba celebrates School Board Appreciation Month

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mitted to improving student their honor last Wednesday at Elba Elementary School. Board mem-

achievement and fight on a daily bers are shown above with Superintendent Danny Weeks (second

basis for the best interests of our from left). Board members include (from left): Josh Wilson, Bill

SCHOOLS

by Christina Bryant

January kicked off School Board Appreciation Month all

across the United States. This

month is set aside to show

school board members how much the community appreci-

ates their efforts. So please go

aside to honor them, everyone

needs to recognize their great

round effort. They are very ded-

Although, this month is set

out and show your support.

Miss Elbala pageant set for Saturday

by Judson Vaughan

The Miss Elbala pageant will be held in the Elba High School auditorium Saturday, Jan. 28, at 6 p.m. You are invited to enjoy an evening of "Box Office Beauties" ranging in age from 5

The entertainment for the evening will feature outstanding EHS students.

Participants are reminded of a should meet at 6:30.

Elbala staff of Mrs. Wanda phone, hanging out with friends, Buckelew at the high school at buying purses, and knotting either 897-2122 or 897-2266. Hope to see you all there.

Talent Pool

by Tierney Starks

The EES Talent Pool recently started knitting. four types of knitting including casting on, knitting, purling, and

knitting scarves. Pool on the great accomplishments and their hard work and Car Show.

Age divisions are as follows: Future Little Miss Elba - ages 3-5; Little Miss Elba - first graders; Junior Miss Elba - 7th thru 10th graders; and Miss Elba – ages 17-21. Deadline for all entries is

Sunday, Jan. 29, at the Miss Elba Tea, held at Moseley's Studio. All contestants should be prepared for their photogenic picture to be taken on this Little Miss Contestants should arrive at 2 p.m. Junior Miss arrive at 2:30 p.m.



Tiger

Editors: Shawanna Wright & Melanie Mularz

by Shawnda Whitfield

mandatory practice Thursday, This week's Journalism Jan. 26. Future Miss and Little Spotlight is Tierney Starks. She Miss contestant should meet in is a tenth grader here at Elba the high school auditorium from High where she is currently 5:30-6:30. Jr. Miss and Miss involved in Key Club, Senior contestants and entertainment Beta, Girl Scout Troop #300,

Mu Alpha Theta, and Band. For questions, contact the Tierney enjoys talking on the blankets. Her favorite part of being in journalism is being able to express her creativity in different assignments and being An interesting fact about

fifth in the nation.

Tierney is that she is a member

of the Coffee County Meat Congratulations, Tierney, for Whitehead and Rudy Tyson for Journalism Spotlight!!

Judging Team that is ranked being selected as this week's their continued support of the They are experimenting with VICA students attend car show in Birmingham

Carr, a senior at EHS.



Brunson, Aubrey Williams, Katrina Calhoun and Valerie McGuire.

athletic programs here at EHS. Duke Carr was presented a \$50 bill after making the half court shot during halftime of the Friday, Jan. 13, varsity boys basketball game. Rudy Tyson presented the winning money to Carr. Also present were Wynn Grimes and Susan Barnes.

Similant Spotlight

varsity game.

by Gale Olson

binding off. Each student keeps Each year the Vocational a knitting journal so that he or Industrial Clubs of America she can keep up with his or her (VICA), which is made up of the coop program, welding program We commend the EES Talent Elba High School, travel to Birmingham, Ala. to the Auto

Under the direction of Larry Goodson, the career tech director, the VICA department particedge of what the automotive cants will be Saturday, March Each manufacturer showcases automotive technology.

> edge of the latest technology that automotive manufacturers are producing. Students are able to see first hand what is involved in a successful product the consumer wants to buy.

The car show allows students to see the competitive side of the business, as well. The car show is a different method, other than day. Future Little Miss and the classroom setting, of teaching students about automotive advances and showing them difand Miss Contestants should ferent aspects of the business

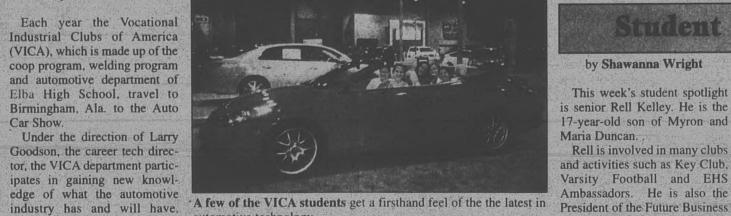
All day, students have the opportunity to acquire knowl- FCCLA peanut cooking contest



Amber Pike with her winning dish - Thai Pork w/ Peanut

Amber Pike, a senior at Elba from high school, Rell plans to around. High School, won the Coffee attend college at West Georgia Congratulations Rell on being County FCCLA Peanut cooking University.

Pork with Peanut Sauce. at New Brockton High School, consisted of school winners rom all of the high schools in Coffee County - Enterprise High School, New Brockton High the arrival of Elizabeth Stephens former School, Elba High School and and Amy Ray as new student graduate Zion Chapel High School, teachers. Amber Pike, and the Elba Miss Elizabeth Stephens is a Dothan High School FCCLA advisor, former graduate of Elba High H i g h hristina Whitlock, will travel School. She has her undergrad- School. o Birmingham, April 6-7, to uate degree in marketing, and She i compete in the State Peanut she is currently working on her currently



t at 6 p.m. at the Elba High its latest models and upcoming products. Elba's Amber Pike wins county





ing a great personality, sense of In the future, after graduating humor, and a great person to be

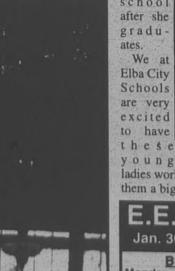
this week's student spotlight at Rell describes himself as hav- Elba High School! The contest, which was held Student teachers welcomed to Elba

alternative Master's degree in working Elizabeth Stephens

enjoyable experience.



So far, she said working at the major in music education. elementary school has been an Miss Ray hopes to get a job locally teaching middle school

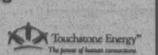


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SCHOOLS



Mrs. Hodge, Mrs. Vinson, and Mrs. Tranum's fifth grade class- bers to improve the quality of . Junior Miss Zion Chapel pages at Zion Chapel School recently held their 4-H club cookie con- life through community service, eant; test. Winners were: (back row) Shelby Jo Vinson -third place, to develop leadership and to fos- . Little Miss Zion Chapel Lauren Knighten - second place; (middle row) Sierra Parker - first ter understanding of our world Pageant; place, Allyson Senn - second place, Myaha Peterson - first place; and its future. Local projects • Future Little Miss Zion Chapel (front row) Lizzie Carnley - second place, Hannah Goodson first include: place, Fischer Crowell - third place. Not pictured: Stephanie • Providing dictionaries for 3rd • Scholarship for a graduating Zion Chapel School has been participating in the Character

puter lab has been purchased for

been a strange sight to see 8th

graders, 11th graders, or 3rd

graders using them. The stu-

dents are all very excited about

Last week, Mrs. Lisa Smith's

first grade language arts class

enjoyed using them. They were

reading about weather and

by Melanie Perry

Zion Chapel School, it has not

Jack Day raises \$7,000 Altrusa International of Jack • Jack Day-Walk for Literacy: held their second annual Jack . Canned food drives; Day on October 22, 2005, rais- . Christmas for children;

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Julie Norris, Sponsor

ing \$7,000 for community and • Teacher's Appreciation service projects for the year. Banquet; The mission of Altrusa is to . Miss Zion Chapel

· Campus beautification; Students enjoy mobile laptop computer lab · Senior Adult Center; · Blood drives.

Zion Chapel's Middle School SGA stays busy

and Paige Gibson

This year's middle school Government Association hit the ground running with its participation in the Fall Festival. Money earned was used to purchase toys and school supplies for the less fortunate families.

We also held a Fall Dance for grades 6-8 that raised enough money to buy new covered trash cans for the middle school break area and electric staplers and pencil sharpeners for middle school teachers.

who have succeeded athletically as well as academically. The scholar athlete must meet to be awarded this prestigious Bryant-Jordan Scholarship The 2005-06 school year Athlete Award. A few of the fac-

We elected officers and dis-

ulty dodgeball game as an annu- 2005-Josh Smith. All students and faculty were Leverett.

event a huge success. The Kim and Shelia Leverett. She is Admission will be \$3.00 sin-FBLA raised \$850 to be used 17-years-old and is involved in gle/\$5.00 couple. Softball, Volleyball, Sr. Beta

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participation last year, the FBLA and she is the class is now preparing for several Valedictorian. competitive events on both the regional and state levels. Region competition is Feb. 6-10 and state competition is April 6-7. We are expecting this to be an amazing year for the Zion Chapel FBLA.

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lentist performing such service.

Also enjoying the computers was Claire Eady, Blake Cobb and Leverett named Bryant-Jordan Scholar athlete

Parker, Kendall Williams and Association,

started with several new faces in tors include scholastic standing, FBLA, not only members, but sports, athletic honors, student also our sponsor, Mrs. Paige leadership, civic and church

year. The decision was made to Amanda Perry, 2004-Kim sponsor a conduct students/fac- Rayburn, 2005-Jamie Wise, and

invited to attend making the Lindsay is the daughter of High School Auditorium.

In light of our National Level Club, FBLA, FFA, FCA, SGA, small fee. Lindsay will be attending

Mrs. Kim Head, media spe- Fame, in conjunction with the pursue a career in environmen- Chapel the best it can be. cialist, shown assisting Kinley Alabama High School Athletic tal science.

by Becca Hodge

The 2005-06 school year for he factors considered in order the Zion Chapel Jr. Beta Club is well underway and members are busy with service projects to

Each year Zion Chapel show outstanding character and cussed several fundraisers and announces a winner. The past integrity, and are willing to give opportunities for the upcoming winners have been 2003- assistance whenever needed. club will be sponsoring a "Snow This year we add to the list of 'Ball Dance' for grades 6-8 on honorees, Miss Lindsay Friday, February 3, from 6:00-

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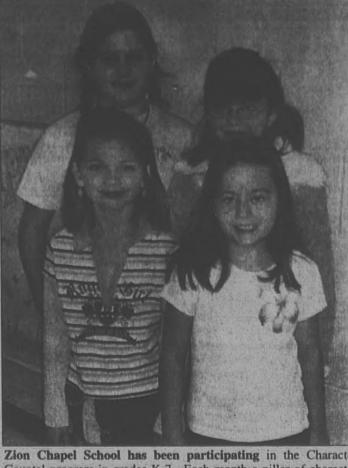
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by Shelby Boswell



Middle School SGA Officers are: Presidents - Will Bedsole and Faith Ketchum; Vice-President- Kayla Hurd; Secretary- Shelby The middle school SGA is Boswell; Reporter- Paige Gibson; Treasurer- Lydia Mills; Nelson, Jacob Waters, Ashleigh Dessandro and Ryan Berry.

Association, recognizes Zion Chapel Jr. Beta Club plans "Snow Ball Dance" for Feb. 3rd



The current officers are: President- Becca Hodge; Vice-President- Will Bedsole; Secretary- Nicole Napper; Treasurer- Nicole Mauldin; Historian/Reporter- Hayden Gibson; Inspirational Leader- Kayla Tracy. Executive committee members: 8th grade- Logan Leverett, Kirsten Shiver; 7th grade- Derek anders, Kayla Hurd. Club Sponsors- Mrs. Dawn Smith and Mrs. Christina Kirkland.

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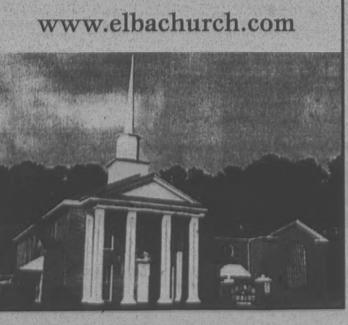
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Views from....

The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

I have been an active high school basketball official for many a controversial 64-63 overtime a 51-44 lead with 2:01 remainyears, and this year I decided to get my girls in on the fun and helped them both become registered high school officials. They helped out by running the clock at a couple of junior high games early in the season, while in recent weeks Melanie has put her new knowledge that cost Elba a possible win in Luverne pumped additional life the Rec Center. The shouts from some of the fans in the stands has bothered her at times, but she has learned being an official isn't as easy as it looks and has even told me she has stopped yelling at refs at high school games. One down, a couple of thousand to go!

ONCE OVER LIGHTLY....

*** The Elba Tigers saw their plans on winning the area championship and hosting the area tournament hit a major snag last week with a controversial loss at Luverne that left the Tigers with two area

Gulley and Brandon Kelley, with :17 left as Elba grabbed a share of the title they will need to defeat Highland Home this week, and then pull for the Flying Squadron to knock off Luverne, in Luverne, in their area finale. That would give Elba, Highland Home and Luverne two losses a piece, and would send the area race into a long list of tie breakers. I have my doubts about the Tigers' luck after losing two area games in overtime. However, stranger things have happened and this team is due a break. One thing for sure - the Tigers have to defeat Highland Home to have any chance at all!

***Now back to last week's loss at Luverne.... while it is true the lead twice more in the clos- handler behind the three-point Elba missed more than enough free-throws to win the game in regulation and again in overtime, it is also true the clock operator failed ulation and again in overtime, it is also true the clock operator failed away and matched every Elba however, and the tardy clock to start the clock properly on an in-bounds pass with 4.1 seconds left away and matched every Elba however, and the tardy clock on the clock and that delay may have very well resulted in Luverne being given the opportunity to send the game into overtime. No one can say for certain how many seconds went by before the clock operator realized his mistake and turned on the clock, but since there was only one second left when a foul was whistled against Elba, it was clear to many in attendance that if not for the mistake the clock top 20-18 with 6:16 left in the officials, and the clock operator, would have run out and the Tigers would have escaped with the win. That is just the opinion of the Elba fans, however, and since the game is over all the Tigers can do now is to use the loss as a means against their arch-rivals.

*** The Elba Lady Tigers also lost a heartbreaker to Luverne and in the process probably ended their chance at winning the area title. The Elba girls had their worst shooting performance of the season even at 24-24, but Elba regained while a basket by Mason Gulley in the first half and made only three baskets from the floor, but ral-half with a 28-25 lead after a put Elba back on top 62-60 with 17 to lead Elba, while Fred to an early 10-5 lead and led 28ing. The rally was short lived, however, as Elba was hit with a technical foul for calling a time-out after it had used all its allotted timeouts, and Luverne hit three free-throws in the closing seconds to claim the win. The Lady Tigers can still battle back and win the area third quarter and watched as 63-63 with two free-throws with claim the win. The Lady Tigers can still battle back and win the area

Luverne went on a 7-0 run to 22 still left in the period. Elba

Luverne went on a 7-0 run to 22 still left in the period. tournament, and there is no doubt they have the skill and desire to take a 32-28 lead. A jumper by called a time-out with 13.8 sec- E 14 14 12 15 8 - 63 extra period. Gavin Respress get the job done. C'mon girls, there is a lot of basketball still left to

Mason Gulley with 3:58 onds left to set up a last-second

*** Brantley dropped three of four games over a one week span deficit to 32-30, but Luverne found a path and drove to the Lowery 10, Jackson 5. recently and has gone from a state contender to a team battling to even make it to sub-region play. While the departure of long time coach Tony Stallworth had an impact on the team, it is still hard to figure out how the Bulldogs went from the state's #1 team to a team
Gulley and a steal and lay-up by clock kept ticking. The clock regroup and regain that swagger that helped them move to the top of the standings. The only good thing about the losses is that the season still has over a week left and then the area tournament. That is plenty of time to see just how good this team really is.

*** Opp High School ended its search for a new football coach last week when Jack Whigham was hired to lead the Bobcats. Whigham is an Opp graduate that has served as an assistant coach for the past 14 years at T.R. Miller, and there can be little doubt the new Bobcat coach has learned what it takes to win while helping Lady Tigers drop key area Miller win numerous state titles. Opp has struggled for a few years in football and has gone through a couple of coaches, but the guess here is that Coach Whigham has plans to retire at Opp, and if the Bobcat fans will support him, he can turn the program around in a

*** Abbeville High School played its first home game in basket- their run toward an area title bog time-outs, and Luverne hit both ball in almost four years Friday night and celebrated its new gym by down Friday night when they ends of a two-shot free-throw winning all three games. The Yellow Jackets had their gym fell to the Luverne Lady Tigers for a technical foul to take a 43destroyed by a tornado back in 2002 and had been driving back and 45-41, in Luverne. forth to Dothan to practice and play its games. So, you know the The loss dropped Elba's more free-throws in the final

*** Years ago there used to be numerous high school conferences petition, while the win upped important 45-41 area win. all across South Alabama, and locally the South Alabama Luverne's record to 4-11, 3-1 in Elba and Luverne both made Conference was one of the best as some of the state's top teams area play. competed for conference titles year in and year out. Those days Elba pulled even at 2-2 early line in the opening half as Elba ended when the AHSAA began area and region play and got in the first quarter on a basket by connected on 8 of 16 free-throw involved in scheduling. However, one conference that has prospered Brandy Caldwell. However, the opportunities and Luverne hit is the Wiregrass Athletic Conference (WAC), which last week added Lady Tigers failed to make on 6 of 13 chances. The second Ariton to its roster to give it 14 members. The conference hosts tour- another basket from the floor for half was a different story; hownaments in baseball, basketball, volleyball and softball, and now has over eight minutes and watched ever, as Elba went to the line six members in Classes 1A-2A and eight in Classes 3A-5A. The as Luverne took advantage of only twice and hit on 1 of 2 conference also holds an awards banquet every year and awards Elba's shooting woes to open up opportunities, while Luverne four scholarships annually. I think is is great that the WAC has sur- an 11-4 lead. Two free-throws went to the foul line a total of 20 vived all the changes and is now better than ever. It takes work and by Whitney Lawford and a driv-times and hit 11. cooperation to keep a conference alive, and this one is without a ing lay-up by Leanna LaFondra Thigpen and

*** In closing.... I talked with a long time assistant football coach to 11-8 with 6:48 remaining in 11 points to lead Elba, while at Luverne last week and he was very disappointed that the Elba- the second quarter, but Luverne Whitney Lawford added 10. Luverne football rivalry will end next season. The coach said he refused to let the visitors from Franklin led Luverne with 14 thought the series was well over 50 years old and was one of the Coffee County get any closer points. oldest series in the state, and added that it was a shame the two and at intermission Elba went in rivals would no longer meet in the sport that helped to make them on the short end of an 18-14 both so successful. I agree the game was one of the biggest rivalries score. in the state and share his disappointment. Football has changed Luverne scored four quick greatly over the past few years at Elba High, and not all the changes have been for the best of the program!

Luverne scored four quick points to open the third quarter as it extended its lead to 22-14 have been for the best of the program! with 4:55 remaining in the stan-Brantley 11.

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Controversial ending dooms Tigers

Elba falls to Luverne in overtime 64-63

The Elba Tigers traveled to quarter with a 6-0 run to move Luverne Friday night for an on top 45-40 with 6:31 left on important area encounter with the clock, and appeared to be in the Luverne Tigers and suffered complete command as it owned defeat in a game that was ing. Kikko Logan scored five marred by 40 missed free- points in less than a minute to throws and a tardy game clock spark a 7-1 Elba rally, and The loss dropped Elba's misfired on seven of eight free-

period. However, Elba staged a Luverne was allowed to go to rally midway through the quar- the foul line and sent the game ter and behind the inside scoring into overtime when it connected straight points to grab a 24-20 the game at 55-55. half. Luverne rallied to pull lead early in the extra period, record slip to 12-6 on the season.

Brandon Kelley sparked a 5-0 stopped when Elba was whistled Elba run that moved the black for a loose ball foul with :02 za Elba was still in the lead 40- out the wild 64-63 win.

za, and despite two late three-

entered the final quarter still

4:41 remaining. However, the

cut the Luverne lead to 40-39

Elba pulled even at 41-41 with

jumper by Leanna Henderson

13-seconds left on a short

and immediately called a time-

behind the play of LaFondra
Thigpen and Whitney Lawford
Cut the Luverne lead to 40-39
TEAM ON THE

trailing 32-26.

into the late Elba charge as it record to 12-5, 3-2 in area play, throw opportunities and while Luverne upped its record watched as Elba cut the deficit

to 10-10 with the win and 2-2 in to 52-51 with :38 still left on the clock. Luverne stretched its lead Elba came out red hot from to 54-51 with :35 remaining, but behind the arc and jumped out Elba's Kikko Logan scored on a to a quick 8-2 lead behind the short jumper and Mason Gulley only to see Luverne also find its 55-54 lead. Luverne called a range from long distance and time-out with 4.1 seconds left connect on a pair of three-point- on the clock to set up a possible ers to pull even at 8-8 with 3:23 game winning shot. However, remaining in the first quarter. its plan appeared to fall apart Elba regained its lead at 10-8 on quickly as Elba forced a loose a driving lay-up by Gulley with ball on the in-bounds pass and 1:41 left on the clock and took then trapped the Luverne ball ing minute, but Luverne refused line. The game clock failed to basket as the opening stanza gave Luverne new life when ended with the score tie at 14- Elba was whistled for a foul with :01 still on the clock. After Luverne scored first in the a heated discussion between second quarter and was still on Elba's Coach Glen Johnson, the

command late and went in at the and a lay-up by LaRay Williams short jumper by Ron Hill. :50 remaining. Luverne cut the Hawkins scored 26 and Gary 25 after three quarters, only to Elba failed to score in the lead to 62-61 with :42 left on the Franklin added 22 to lead see Luverne rally late to send

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Carnley 2, Caldwell 7.

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HERE!!!!

remaining in the stanza snapped shot, and its plan appeared to Luverne (64): Hawkins 26, while Trey Belcher added 12 the scoring drought and cut the work when LaRay Williams Franklin 22, Kilpatrick 1, and Channing Morris scored 10. remained in command and basket. Williams' shot rolled off Elba (63): Gulley 18, points to lead Luverne. owned a 37-33 lead with 3:13 the rim; however, and two tip- Williams 5, Kelley 5, Logan 17, Elba (55): Respress 13, remaining. A driving lay-up by ins also rolled off the rim as the Rodgers 8, Hill 5, Abbott 2. and gold Tigers back in front left, and Luverne hit on one of The Elba JV Tigers continued Luverne (48): May 10, Harris 38-37, and at the end of the stan- three free-throw chances to pull their winning ways with a 55-48 19, Jackson 7, Harrell 2, Leach

of motivation and rededicate themselves to getting a rematch of Kikko Logan scored six on one of two free-throws to tie TIGER DEFENSE.... Elba's Kikko Logan (in back) and Mason Gulley (left) combine to block a shot during recent Elba basketball

lead with 5:02 remaining in the The area rivals swapped the action. The Tigers have dropped four straight games to see their

(JV GAME)

overtime win, in a game that 9, Freeman 1. Mason Gulley scored 18 included a total of 57 fouls and Luverne opened the fourth points and Kikko Logan added 74 free-throws. Elba jumped out

the game into overtime. Elba defender in recent Lady Rebel basketball action. Taylor scored 20

Harrelson 2, Phillips 2, Head 2, Bullard 3, Belcher 12, Morris

scored 13 points to lead Elba,

10, Dorsey 2, McBride 5, Tillis



with 1:48 still left on the clock. TOURNAMENT ELBA LADY TIGER LAFONDRA THIGPEN (20) drives in for a basket during a recent win. The Lady Tigers dropped an important area battle last week to Luverne to fall into second place in the area

(Photo by Laura Baxley)

SPORTS

High School BASKETBALI BRIEFS **BOYS VARSITY** New Brockton rolls past Kinston Bulldogs 62-52

The New Brockton Gamecocks pulled ahead early and pulled away late to defeat the Kinston Bulldogs 62-52, last Tuesday night in New Brockton. The Gamecocks owned a 17-7 lead after one quarter, but saw the Bulldogs cut the lead to 26-23 at the half before they were able to pull away and claim the win. Dadrian Johnson scored 16 points to lead New Brockton, while Rashard Andrews added 12 and Justin Flowers scored 11. M. Whigham scored 13 points to lead the Bulldogs, while Anthony Weeks and Ramsey Phillips both added 11.

Brantley Bulldogs coast past Zion Chapel 71-42

The Brantley Bulldogs led all the way to claim a 71-42 win over the Zion Chapel Rebels last Tuesday night in Zion Chapel. Kevin Pitts scored 17 points and Jeffery Daniels added 10 to lead the Bulldogs, while Abe Childs scored 22 to lead the Rebels.

New Brockton rallies late to down Samson 48-45

The New Brockton Gamecocks staged a furious fourth quarter rally to defeat the Samson Tigers 48-45 Thursday night in Samson. The Gamecocks trailed 35-30 heading into the final stanza, but rallied late to pull out the big road win. Dadrian Johnson scored 19 points to lead New Brockton, while Kurt Jensen and John Milsap both scored 12 points for Samson.

Brantley Bulldogs shocked by Purple Cats 65-64

The Brantley Bulldogs continued their late-season struggles Thursday night with a shocking 65-64 loss to the Ariton Purple Cats, in Ariton. Thad Frazier scored 23 points and Kevin Pitts added 21 to lead the Bulldogs, while Marcus Ward led Ariton with 18 points and 12 rebounds.

Gamecocks fall to Highland Home 61-55 in overtime

The New Brockton Gamecocks staged a furious second half rally to send the game into overtime, but then ran out of gas in the extra period as they fell to the Highland Home Flying Squadron 61-55 Friday night in New Brockton. The Gamecocks rallied from a 36-19 halftime deficit to force overtime, but failed to keep pace in the extra period and suffered the area loss. Rashard Andrews scored 15 points to lead New Brockton, while Courtney Foster added 13 and Dadrian Johnson scored 10. Sankey scored 17 points to lead ZION CHAPEL'S JENNIFER TAYLOR (20) shoots over a Highland Home.

Brantley outscores Providence Christian 70-62

The Brantley Bulldogs kept their area title hopes alive Friday night with a 70-62 win over Providence Christian, in Dothan. Jeffery Daniels scored 25 points to lead the Bulldogs, while Keith Granger led Providence with 18 points.

> GIRLS VARSITY Kinston Lady Bulldogs slip past New Brockton 32-23

The Kinston Lady Bulldogs pulled ahead early and slowly pulled away to down the New Brockton Lady Gamecocks 32-23 last Tuesday night in New Brockton. The Lady Bulldogs jumped out to an 8-0 first quarter lead, led 1323 at the break and rolled to the win Thursday, Jan. 26 over their cross-county rivals. Brittany Hunko scored 12 points to lead Kinston, while Valarie Hutcherson led New Brockton with 11 New Brockton at Zion Chapel (4:30) JV-VG-VB

Brantley Lady Bulldogs outscore Lady Rebels 57-53

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs evened their area record at 2-2 last J.F. Shields at Kinston (4:30) JV-VG-VB Tuesday night by posting a 57-53 win over Zion Chapel. Taronda Randall scored 13 points and grabbed 22 rebounds to lead Brantley, while Deanza Sheridan added 12. Jennifer Taylor led the Lady Monday, Jan. 30 Rebels with 20 points.

Lady Gamecocks fall hard to top-ranked Samson 60-11

The New Brockton Lady Gamecocks fell behind early and never Tuesday, Jan. 31 challenged Thursday night in a 60-11 loss to the Samson Lady Elba at Enterprise (6:00) JV-VB Tigers. The Lady Gamecocks trailed 37-0 at the half and never New Brockton at Slocomb (5:00) JV-VG-VB recovered as they suffered the road loss. H. Dueitt scored 4 points to lead New Brockton, while Kala Bess scored 15 points to lead Samson and Sierra Wiginton added 14.

New Brockton Lady Gamecocks suffer 54-16 home loss

The New Brockton Lady Gamecocks continued their season long struggles Friday night in a 54-16 setback to Highland Home. The Lady Gamecocks fell behind 29-8 by the end of the half and never recovered as they dropped the area contest. Grimes and Largess both scored 4 points to lead New Brockton, while J. Merriweather led Highland Home with 18 points.

Brantley Lady Bulldogs fall hard to Providence 70-34

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs traveled to Dothan Friday night and suffered a 70-34 area loss to Providence Christian. Taronda Randall scored 14 points to lead Brantley, while Whitney Doyle scored 20 points, grabbed 10 rebounds and had 9 steals to lead Providence.

BOYS JUNIOR VARSITY

New Brockton Gamecocks dump Kinston 36-27

The New Brockton Gamecocks pulled ahead in the second quar er and never looked back to down the Kinston Bulldogs 36-27. The Gamecocks trailed 13-11 after one quarter, but outscored the Bulldogs 18-6 in the middle two stanzas to grab the lead and rolled to the win. S. Johnson scored 11 points to lead New Brockton, while Moss poured in 16 points to lead Kinston.

New Brockton edged by Samson Tigers 30-29

The New Brockton Gamecocks saw a late lead vanish Thursday night in a 30-29 loss to the Samson Tigers. The Gamecocks led 26-20 after three quarters, but watched as the Tigers rallied and pulled out the win. S. Johnson scored 13 points to lead New Brockton, while Smith led Samson with 9 points.



games last week to continue their late 0-season surge (Photo by Laura Bayley)

High School BASKETBALL SCHEDULES

Friday, Jan. 27 Elba at Goshen (4:30) JV-VG-VB

Geneva County at Elba (6:00) VG-VB Zion Chapel at Kinston (4:30) JV-VG-VB

ELBA ATHLETIC CLUB

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SPORTS

In boys and girls action

Elba youth basketball league enjoys busy week on court

sored by the Elba Department of Parks and Recreation, had a busy

week of action on the court last week with a total of 13 games being

early and held on late to claim a 33-29 win over the Temple Spurs.

late to claim the exciting win. Scoring for the Bulls were Steadman

Geiber 19, Hunter Coon 9, Avery Colquett 3 and Justin Ferguson 2.

Scoring for the Spurs were Cantrell Edwards 10, Richard Davis 8,

Richard Davis 6, Cantrell Edwards 5 and Jerdaine Colston 5.

2-0 halftime lead and held off a late rally to claim the win. Scoring

for the Elba Gold were Asia Sistrunk 4 and Reyanta Caldwell 2.

a slim 5-2 lead at intermission, but pulled away in the second half-

Elba White 26 Elba Gold 6 - The Elba White led all the way to

Opp Celtics 11 Elba White 6 - The Opp Celtics pulled ahead

an easy 34-6 win over the Temple Hornets. The Rockets jumped out

Scoring for the Rockets were Russell 11, Tyler 10, Savannah 6,

Dakota 4, Ashton 2 and Ben 1. Scoring for the Hornets were

Z.C. Rebelettes 5 Temple 1 - The Zion Chapel Rebelettes pulled

The Enterprise-Ozark and base running, and all

Community College Boll campers will become more Weevil baseball team will host skilled in the aspects of offen-

its 2006 Spring Baseball Camp sive and defensive baseball.

on Saturday, Jan. 28, from 9:00 They will also receive informa-

until 3:00 at the EOCC gym. tion on off-season workouts

The camp is open to boys and conditioning that will help

and girls ages 7-14, with a reg- them improve once the camp is

registration (prior to Jan. 26) All campers should bring

and \$55 the day of the camp. glove, bat, tennis shoes and

include Adam Godwin, drafted bring catching equipment.

baseball coach Tim Hulsey, able at all area high school and members of the Boll EOCC and the Elba Recreation

Instructors will work with call 347-2623 and speak w

campers on the fundamentals Kristi Whitehead at ext. 23

of hitting, pitching, catching or Coach Hulsey at ext. 2291

Instructors for the camp will cleats, with catchers urged to

EOCC to host baseball camp

Jan. 28 for players ages 7-14

Scoring for the Elba Black was Lacy Mount 4.

the Black were Lacy Mount 2 and Paris Person 1.

Dontavious Williams 2 and Jeffery Perdue 1.

Elba White were Nick Green 4 and Harry Griffin 2.

Octavious Bonham 4 and Derek Savage 2.

were Derek Savage 3 and Marquavious Hall 1.

istration fee of \$45 for early complete.

Landon Brazell, drafted by the served for lunch.

Girls 12 and Under

Following are highlights of last week's action:

Tyler Anderson 2 and Michael Martin 2.

Girls 8 and Under

Boys 8 and Under

Boys 10 and Under

Boys 12 and Under



KEANTHONY NEWSON drives in for a basket in action last ter lead and rolled to the big win. Scoring for the Elba White were weekend in the Boy's 12 and Under basketball division. Games are Griffin Martin 14, Martavious Gray 6, Brosnan Cooks 4 and played at the Elba Recreation Center three nights each week and on Denzell Thomas 2. Scoring for the Elba Gold were Kaleb Martin 3,



GRIFFIN MARTIN keeps his eye on the goal as he prepares to take a shot in action last week in the Boys 8 and Under basketball by the Los Angeles Dodgers; Hamburgers and chips will be division. Martin scored 14 points to lead his team to the win.

YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Thursday, Jan. 26 10 and Under Boys 5:30 - Temple Hornets vs. Opp 6:30 - Elba Black vs. Opp

Friday, Jan. 27 At Opp Middle School, 12 and Under Boys 5:30 - Temple Spurs vs. Opp 6:30 - Elba vs. Opp

Saturday, Jan. 28. 10 and Under Girls 12 and Under Girls 11:00 - Elba vs. Temple 12:00 - Temple vs. Zion Chapel

Monday, Jan. 30 In Elba, 6 and Under Boys 5:30 - Elba Black vs. Elba Gold 8 and Under Boys 6:30 - Elba White vs. Elba Gold

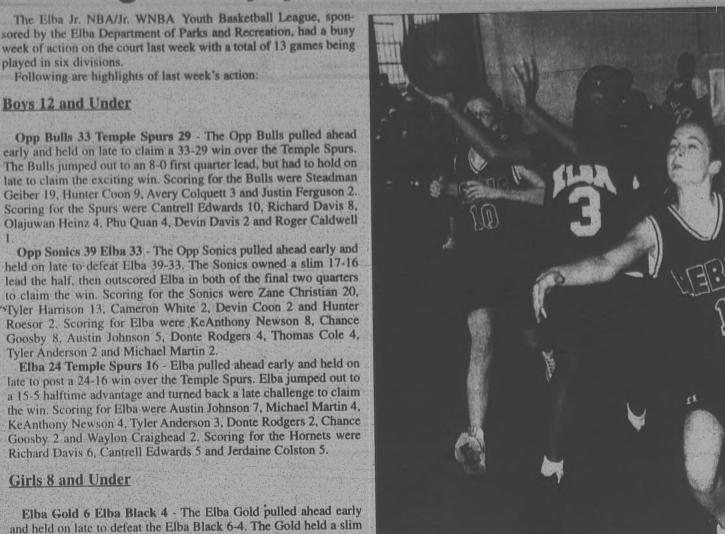
In Elba, 8 and Under Girls 10 and Under Boys 6:30 - Elba Black vs. Elba White Brazell, a draft pick of the

Weevil baseball team will host Phillips, of Southern Bone a its 2006 Baseball Clinic on Joint; coordinating practice s Saturday, Jan. 28, from 6:00 - sions and off-season condit 10:00 PM at the EOCC gym. ing by EOCC head basel The clinic is open to boys and coach Tim Hulsey; and pitch girls ages 15 and above, with a tips and tricks by expert pitch registration fee of \$10 per per- coach Dicky Pierce, from

Weevil baseball team.

The clinic will feature hitting Academy, of Houma, LA. and base running skills by Adam For more information call AmeriHealth Advantage Godwin, a draft pick of the Los 347-2623 and speak with Coach 5:30 - Elba Black vs. Elba Gold Angeles Dodgers; pitching Hulsey at ext. 2291 or Kristi demonstrations by Landon Whitehead at ext. 2315.

EOCC camp for ages 15 and up The Enterprise-Ozark Florida Marlins; prevention Community College Boll sports injuries by Dar



JACQUETTA WHITFIELD (3) drives in fort a basket in action last week in the Girls 12 and Under basketball division. Whitfield Elba Gold 15 Elba Black 3 - The Elba Gold pulled ahead early and pulled away late to defeat the Elba Black 15-3. The Gold owned scored 16 points to lead her team to a big win on Saturday. (Photo by Laura Baxley)

McKenzie 8, Reality Singletary 5 and Asia Sistrunk 2. Scoring for ahead midway through the game and rolled to a 5-1 win over Temple. The Rebelettes owned a 2-0 halftime lead and slowly pulled away for the win. Scoring for the Rebelettes were Ashleigh DeSandra 2, Alison Senn 2 and Shelby Johnson 1. Scoring for

Temple was T.J. Stoudemire 1. Elba 31 Zion Chapel 12 - Elba used a big second quarter to pull ahead and then pulled away to defeat Zion Chapel 31-12. The score defeat the Elba Gold 26-6. The White jumped out to a 6-0 first quar- was tied at 4-4 after one quarter, but Elba outscored Zion Chapel 18-2 in the middle two stanzas to take command and rolled to the big win. Scoring for Elba were Jacquetta Whitfield 16, Kimberly Perdue 6, Trey Craighead 4, Kei-Auna Edwards 3 and Melinda Jones 2. Scoring for Zion Chapel were Kelli Behrens 5, Erin

Girls 10 and Under

early and coasted in with an 11-6 win over the Elba White. The Temple 9 Elba 7 - Temple staged a late rally to defeat Elba 9-7. Celtics jumped out to a 4-0 first quarter lead and never trailed in Elba jumped out to an early 7-2 lead, only to see Temple rally to pull rolling to the win. Scoring for the Celtics were Clay Moss 6, Chase out the exciting win. Scoring for Temple were T.J. Stoudemire 2, Robbins 2, Jacob Godwin 2 and Seth Wilkerson 1. Scoring for the Ciara Hines 2, Olivia Hands 2, Asia Edwards 2 and Reanna Kinkade 1. Scoring for Elba were A.J. Whitfield 4, Reality Singletary 2 and Opp Rockets 34 Temple Hornets 6 - The Opp Sonics rolled to Ty Carpenter 1.

to a 22-2 halftime lead and never looked back to claim the big win. Boys 6 and Under

Elba Black vs. Elba Gold - The Elba Black and Elba Gold battled through four quarters to excite the large crowd on hand. Scoring Elba Black 14 Temple Hornets 4 - The Elba Black scored all its for the Black were Braxton Robinson, Jordan Magwood, Isaiah points in the first quarter and held on to defeat the Temple Hornets Kyles, Kendre Jordan, Nicholas Johnson, Richard Singletary, 14-4. The Black jumped out to an early 14-0 lead and rolled to the O'mar Whitfield and Walter. Scoring for the Gold were Jerron big win. Scoring for the Elba Black were Kyson Edwards 10, Register, Tanner Herrington, Zac Clark, Jeremiah Jordan, Winston Raheem Newson 2 and Jalon Newson 2. Scoring for the Hornets Kelley, Christopher Echols, Tony Daniels and Juandarius Reed.

Spotlight on the



(Photo by Laura Baxley) Florida Marlins; EOCC head Registration forms are avail-

Medicare Part D In Accepted at Medic	surance Programs al Arts Pharmacy:			
Community Care RX	Perform RX AmeriHealth 65 (Argus)			
Aetna AARP	HealthSprings			
United Health Care	Humana			
UHC Ovation/Oxford	Wellpoint/Anthem/Unicare			
WHI (Walgreen's Health Initiatives)	Unicare			
Wellcare	Anthem Medicare Preferred			
Coventry/First Health	Anthem Senior Advantage			
AdvantraRX	Wellpoint			
AmeriHealth 65 MAPD (Caremark)	Pacificare			
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COMMUNITY NEWS

Zion Chapel High School

Second Nine Weeks Honor Rolls

"A" Honor Roll 6th Grade: Ashleigh Simmons Charlsie Little, Cheyenne Jennifer Taylor, Stacy Williams, Shelby Boswell, Hillarie Davis, of life. Nelson, Sindi Paul, Zackary Matt Williams

7th Grade: Kelli Behrens, Keri Flowers, Rosanna Johnson, McWaters Nicole Holoway, Logan Leverett, Erika Mouont, Nicole "A-B" Honor Roll

Courses offered at Enterprise-Ozark Community College MICROSOFT OFFICE, on Monday nights for six weeks Eppie Long, Jenna Mobley, things he had done and seen in student.

Level 2 - Microsoft Office is each. Session one begins Keagan White designed for students who have January 23 from 5:30 until 7:30 12th Grade: Abe Childs, suggested it should be in print. had prior computer experience p.m. and session two begins Keri Hobbs, Melanie Perry, DJ "So many people say they through AuthorHouse publish- Oettel says he's currently workand are familiar with basic skills March 6. The cost for the Stinson, Savannah Tidwell can't do this or that," he said. such as creating files and saving course is \$40. documents. Completion of Microsoft Office, Level 1 is preferred but not required. This is a comprehensive course that will

provide in-depth coverage of the Microsoft Word, Excel, and PowerPoint programs. At the end of the course, students should be able to produce professional looking letters. slide presentations. Students should bring a 3 2" disk to the first class session. This class will be held on the Enterprise campus on Saturday for four weeks beginning March 4, from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. The

cost for the course is \$120.

MICROSOFI EXCEL Microsoft Excel will teach you to turn your computer into an electronic calculator. Students will learn the basics of Microsoft Excel software and at the conclusion of the 8-hour class should be able to understand the fundamentals of spreadsheets by creating inventory or payroll reports. It would be helpful for students to have had some prior experience using a computer, and students should bring a 3 2" disk to the first class session. This class will be held on the Enterprise campus o Tuesday and Thursday night for two weeks beginning March 7, from 5:30 until 7:30 p.m. and on the Ozark campus beginnin March 14. The cost for the

course is \$45.

BEGINNING COMPUTER This class is designed for thos with limited computer experi ence. Students will be intro duced to the Internet and learn how to set up a free e-mai account, will be introduced the computer keyboard, taugh basic computer terminolog and get hands on experience with the Microsoft Word soft ware package. At the conclu sion of this four session course, students should be able to overcome their fear of computer usage, understand the basic functions of a computer key board, and gain a sense of the potential for computer use in their home, work, and/or educational environment. Bring a 3 1/2" disk to the first class. This class will be held on the Enterprise campus on Tuesday and Thursday nights for two weeks beginning February 7 from 5:30 until 7:30 p.m. The cost for the course is \$45.

POTTERY SHOPPE offers you the chance to challenge your creativity while working with clay. This class is designed for adults who have had no experience with clay and for those who have worked with clay in the past. Students who have been enrolled in previous Pottery Shoppe classes will be able to learn new techniques. Each student will complete at least one piece of HAND-BUILT pottery and must purchase clay and tools for \$20.00 at the first class session. Two sessions of this class will be held on the Enterprise campus

Author donates book to Elba Public Library

James H. Oettel travels through life believing, "you can to," and that is exactly what he

12th Grade: Donna Flowers, Faith Ketcham, Justin depression-era, Oettel said he lived in a cave in mid-Missouri Erin Dismukes, Kayla Hurd Lindsay Leverett, Shea 8th Grade: Jennifer Cook, when he was age 4. His parents 8th Grade: Dillon Davis, Manning, Byron McWaters, Hayden Gibson, Aaron Grant, died just three weeks apart in Heather Hines, Marlana Hood, 1939 leaving him orphaned at Beth Long, Courtney Nicole the age of 12. Maulden, Heather McCollough. Later in life, Oettel said he ran

Patrick Joseph Benton, Kyle Dillon Roberts, Brittany Iowa to join the Army Air Force 9th Grade: Kirsten Collins, Boswell, Ethan Carter, James Simmons, Garrett Stinson during World War II. He had his Amber Grissett, Ethan Mount, Cobb, Megan Cox, Tabitha 9th Grade: Lindsey Amlong, left eye removed at the age of Kyle Rogers, Brittany Smythe Faulk, Matthew Griffis, Leslie Carol Ann Banks, Amanda 22, suffered a heart attack at age Book author James H. Oettel donates a copy of the book he 10th Grade: Stephanie Miles, Courtney Napper, Geddings, Caitlin Grissett, Janie 48, had cataract surgery at age Collier, Brittany Dismukes, Breanna Nicole Nelson, Hall, Brittany Ledford, Jessica 66, open-heart surgery at age 74 is librarian Kay Wilson. The book, "Root-Hog or Die" is based on Megan Tori Hodge, Sheena Cassandra Nelson, Sage Lee, Drew Little, Cristen and overcame a surgery for can-Hussey, Brittany Layton, Tindol Peterson, Noah Sanders, Markel Patterson, Steven Pettry, Ashley cer at age 75. Ouattlebaum, Justin Winters All these obstacles led Oettel to it, you can do it."

10th Grade: Brittany to write a life-story book he calls Cardwell, Logan Carnley, John a kind of motivational book. Wayne Lambert, Rod Rider, Oettel said his daughter-in- written by Edmund Hansen. Public Library. Brooke Stinson, Caitlin White. law really encouraged him to Hansen taught Oettel in a mem- Anyone interested in reading 11th Grade: Todd Grant, he would tell the stories of the was extremely impressed by his the library or contact Oettel at

Walden, Faith Yohn

Long, Luke Peters, Jonas Senn, Morgan Senn, Caleb do anything you set your mind DeSandro, Huey Green, 11th Grade: Erica Lewis, 7th Grade: Will Bedsole, has done throughout his 79 years

Hayden Ellis, Paige Gibson. Born in 1927 during the

Napper, Landan Peters, Kirsten 6th Grade: Lawson Amlong, Casey North, Joshua Richards, away from a blind school in

life, he said other people also "Root-Hog or Die" is the self- purchasing a copy.

Oettel and his book are even Florida, and last week he donatmentioned in a "how to" guide ed a copy of his book to the Elba

recently penned to the Elba Public Library. Accepting the donation

write a book based on his life. As oirs writing class in 2003 and the book can check it out from published book written by Oettel Indicating he's not done yet.

COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURE AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES, PROPRIETARY FUND TYPES AND EXPENDABLE TRUST FUNDS FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER 1, 2004 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2005

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TAXES	2,959,648.00 56,396.00	1,440.00					57,836.00
LICENSES & PERMITS	657,291.00	2,735,343.00					3,392,634.00
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE CHARGES FOR SERVICE	1,102,245.00	191,366.00			3,010,086.00	24,340.00	4,328,037.00
MISCELLANEOUS	420,192.00	807,790.00	2,377.00	2,370.00	149,018.00	86,034.00	1,467,781.00
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PUBLIC SAFETY	2,187,354.00	28,910.00					2,216,264.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE	25,828.00	241,734.00					6,000.00
CULTURE AND RECREATION	6,000.00						58,295.00
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CAPITAL OUTLAY							
PRINCIPAL RETIREMENT		136,725.00	547,649.00		89,033.00		773,407.00
INTEREST		43,065.00	346,698.00		16,999.00		406,762.00
FEES AND OTHER CHARGES	18,255.00	7,730.00					25,985.00
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OPERATING TRANSFERS OUT OTHER USES	(615,750.00)	(1,481,415.00)	(942.00)	(60,537.00)	(515,000.00)		1
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Detailed statements of individual fund revenue and expenditures are available for public inspection at the County C Office during regular hours Monday-Friday. The totals are captioned "Memorandum Only" to indicate that they are presented merely to aid financial analysis. Information in this statement does not present the County's financial position or results of operations in conformity with generally accepted accounted principles; neither is data comparable to a comsolidation of county funds; that is interfund elimination has not been used in totaling these figures. These figures represent unaudited data.

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2005

General Obligation Warrants (Health Department Addition) General Obligation Warrants (DHR) General Obligation Warrants (Refunding Issue 1,625,000 General Obligation Warrants- 2004 \$.04 Gasoline Tax Anticipation Warrants 150,000 \$.05 Gasoline Tax Anticipation Warrants 142,029 Loans Payable to Banks 1,590,000 2002 Construction Warrants Landfill Warrants 1,500,528 Lease Purchase Equipment 621,312 Landfill Lease Purchase Equipment (65,777) Amounts in Escrow 5.998.092

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PUBLIC NOTICES

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE Alabama.

Default having been made in the Enterprise, AL 36330

Registration System, Inc. The undersigned, Mortgage Electronic Registration System, Inc, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, will sell at public out-cry to the highest bidder for cash

Attorneys for Mortgagee pefore the courthouse door of Rick La Trace, Esq. Coffee County, Alabama, during P. O. Box 1988 he legal hours of sale, on Mobile, Alabama 36633 February 2, 2006, the following (251) 432-7682 real estate, situated in Coffee

County, Alabama, to-wit: A lot or parcel of land located in Coffee County, Alabama and described as follows: commencing at a point where the accept-ed South line of Section 14, T3N, R21E intersects the West right of way of Coffee County Road #65: thence N07 degrees

of Beginning. Said property DONE being located in the S1/2 of the 2006. SE 1/4, Section 14, T3N, R21E /s/ Jeffrey W. Kelley and containing 0.69 acres more Circuit Judge

Said property is commonly RICHARD WHITTAKER known as 2267 County Rd SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR #651, Chancellor, AL 36316 P.O. Box 311166 The indebtedness secured by Enterprise, AL 36331-1166 said Mortgage has been and is (334) 393-5146 hereby declared due because of 1/19, 26, 2/2, & pd. default under the terms of said but not limited to the nonpayment of the indebtedness as and COFFEE COUNTY. when due. The indebtedness remaining in default, this sale will be made for the purpose of paying the same, all expenses of HOME

the sale, including attorney's fees and all other payments provided for under the terms of the Scarbrough, does hereby purlimited to ad valorem taxes, which constitute liens upon said property; special assessments; all outstanding bills for public utilities which constitute liens upon said property; all restrictive covenants, easements, rights-

standing taxes, including but not ber MSFLN25A306700L is again urging the Legislature to Riley's plan. Currently, the tax Ten free flowering trees will be shipped redemption pursuant to Alabamia 4. The sale will be conducted by Alabamians than there were in posed an annual sales tax holi-nonprofit Foundation's Trees for to grow or they will be replaced by the redemption pursuant to Alabamia 4. The sale will be conducted by the replaced by the re of-way; the statutory right of 36034. law; and any other matters of sealed bids and the last date on November. During the past 12 day for the first full weekend of America campaign. law; and any other matters of record superior to said which bids will be accepted is months, the number of unem-ployed individuals in Alabama ployed individ session of the property is Mark the following addresses: Spann and Cherie Spann or tenant(s).

202 Brookwood Drive, Troy,
unemployment rate for during that time period.

MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC as holder of said mortgage

Jason Lutz Morris, Schneider & Prior, 1587 Northeast Expressway Atlanta, GA 30329 (770) 234-9181 MSP File No.648.0520419AL\scj THIS LAW FIRM IS ATTEMPT-ING TO COLLECT A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. 1/12,19,26,2006-chg

LEGAL NOTICE

Default having been made in the by CHARLES K. BULLOCK and and may be previewed by con-LORI A. BULLOCK, husband tacting the school office. and wife, which said Mortgage is dated November 13, 2002, and recorded in OFFREC 204, Page 841 in the Coffee County, Alabama, Probate Court ecords; the undersigned, as Mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, will sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the main entrance of the Coffee County, Alabama Courthouse located in Elba, Alabama, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. on February 10, 2006, the following real estate situated in Coffee County,

Lot 5 Block "A" Re-Subdivision of North Heights Subdivision, as recorded in Plat Book 2, Page

94, Probate Office, Enterprise Alabama-Florida Peanut Trade

ALABAMA, COFFEE COUNTY
DIVISION

For informational purposes only, this real property is commonly known as 106 Chaney St., REGIONS BANK,

> Johnstone, Adams, Bailey, Gordon and Harris, L.L.C.,

ELBA DIVISION et al, Plaintiffs

DONE the 13th day of January.

STATE OF ALABAMA, NOTICE OF SALE OF MOBILE

The undersigned, William R.

3. The mobile home is located at Governor Riley. 2825 County Road 304. December's rate means there in the nation.

mobile home. Allen C. Jones 202 W. Walnut Street

science books

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Show set for February 10th indebtedness secured by that Said sale will be made for the certain mortgage executed by Mark E. Spann and Cherie W. Date of paying the indebted-ness described in and secured happenings, visit with a variety among other door prizes to be Spann to American Fidelity, Inc. by said Mortgage and related of industry representatives and loan documents, the charges as dated December 14, 2000, said mortgage being recorded in Book 144, Page 727, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama. Said Mortgage was last sold will be applied in accordance will be applied Mortgage was last sold, will be applied in accordance assigned and transferred to with the terms and conditions of Electronic said Mortgage and related loan

1-17,24,2-6 chg.

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right having a radius of 2274.45 Administrator of the Estate of Following the guest speakers, begin at 10:30 a.m. leet and an arc length of 165.22 Oliver N. Holmes, deceased, on there will be outside equipment Both inside and outside booth cussed during the 2006 Alabama by the Alabama Cooperation feet and a chord bearing and the 5th day of November, 2005, demonstrations conducted spaces are still available. For Regional Peanut Production Extension System and hosted distance of N13 degrees by the Honorable Jeffrey W. 30'20"E 165.18 feet to a point; thence S86 degrees 53'45" W hereby given that all persons thence S86 degrees 53'45" W hereby given that all persons win several prizes including a Peanut Producer Sacciation at Scheduled in February through 202.13 feet to a point; thence having claims against said win several prizes including a Peanut Producers Association at scheduled in February through local Alabama Farmer Song degrees 55'38" W 142.25 degrees 26'17"E 63.21 feet to a point; thence N89 degrees 34'05"E 125.45 feet to the Point of Benjing Said property of Benjing Said property of Benjing Said property in the property of Benjing Said property in the property estate are hereby required to certificate for \$10,000 toward 334-792-6482 or the Florida out the state's peanut producing Federation county organization

Glenwood, Alabama

967, Troy, Alabama 36081 REGISTRATION SYSTEM, INC Scarbrough at (334) 807-5140

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C. C. Schools Textbook Applicants must be age 19 committee reviewing

Textbook committee is presently of the six-week training course, reviewing science books for applicants will be eligible to payment of the indebtedness adoption for the 2006 - 2007 qualify for a Class A CDL. Job secured by that certain school year. Sample texts are Placement is available. delivered to available in each school location For more information, contact

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MISCELLANEOUS NEWS

February 10, 2006 at the Griggs. "We already have a long National Peanut Festival list of exhibitors and are looking Fairgrounds located south of for that number to grow before Dothan, AL on Hwy. 231. This the event. This meeting is a event is actually a new format great opportunity for growers to for the Alabama Peanut get a little bit of everything. Producers Association's (APPA) From farm bill concerns to the annual business meeting. And latest farm equipment available, with an opportunity to reach I encourage anyone in agriculgrowers in north Florida as well, ture, whether they are farming MITCHELL MOORE, left, came in first in the Hog Wild Run's the Florida Peanut Producers or not, to come and see the wide children's division last year. He ran the one-mile fun run, the Pig Association has joined with variety of exhibitors that will be Trail Trot, in 8:01. His sister, Morgan Moore, right, ran the race in APPA to sponsor the trade show. on hand the entire day." 9:58 in 2004. They are grandchildren of Dollie Jacobs Moore, a Registration and exhibits will "The location of this event is 1955 graduate of Elba High School. The Dothan Runners Club will

Growers who want to learn Peanut Growers Conference set

open at 9:00 a.m., giving grow- one that will allow growers from hold its 24th annual Hog Wild Run Saturday, Jan. 28, at 2 p.m. at more particularly in the circuit court for ers a chance to visit both inside Florida and other areas to Westgate Park, Northcutt Complex, in Dothan. For information, call and outside exhibits before attend," said FPPA executive Larry Dykes, race director, at 334-792-6021 or visit the website at lunch. Two speakers will be on director Ken Barton. "We are DothanRunners.com for an application. In Re: WILLARD E. HOLMES, the program at lunch: U.S. excited and invite all growers to Representative Terry Everett (R- the event." AL) will speak on the legislative The annual business meeting Alabama Peanut Producers meetings 46'31" E along the West right of way of Coffee County Road way of Coffee County Road Way of Coffee County Road State County Road Way of Coffee County Road Way of Coffee County Road State County Road Way of Coffee County Road West right of the Alabama Peanut issues facing peanut growers of the Alabama Peanut and Jimmy Dorsett, president Producers Association and the and Jimmy Dorsett, president Producers Association and Transfer Producers As

Governor Riley announces new record by attending one of these indus- 334-792-6482 or your local low unemployment in Alabama

Alabama's unemployment December is 4.9 percent tor Randy Griggs - tion and time information. rate has fallen again to an his- December marks the 11th con- Legislative/Farm Bill Update; 2006 Alabama Regional toric new record low, Governor secutive month Alabama's Auburn University peanut Peanut Production Meetings. Bob Riley announced on unemployment rate has been agronomist Dallas Hartzog - February 2 - Geneva County Thursday. The December below the national rate. unemployment rate in the state Governor Riley has proposed Peanut Research Laboratory - Center - Eufaula, AL 6:00 is 3.5 percent, less than the pre- a broad tax cut package to the Peanut Economics for the Next p.m; February 21-Houston vious record low of 3.6 percent Legislature that would cut taxes Two Years; Austin Hagan of County Farm Center - Doth in November and significantly for every Alabamian who pays Auburn University, S Extension AL - 6:00 p.m.; February 2 less than the 5.3 percent rate income taxes. Under the System - Peanut Diseases; Ron GCRE Center - Fairhope, Al

recorded one year ago. Governor's proposal, the tax Weeks of Auburn University, s. 9:30 a.m.; February 24 Creek "Alabama's economy contin- deduction for dependents and Extension System - Pest Family Restaurant - Atmore, AL Said property will be sold subject seq., Code of Alabama, give ues gaining strength and gather- the personal tax exemption will Management. There will also be - 10:00 a.m. to the following items which may notice of the sale of the following ing momentum. Unemployment be increased. When fully grower panel speaking at some affect the title to said property:
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quarterly dividends The Board of Directors of the National Security Group, Inc., declared a quarterly dividend of \$.22 per share. This represents an annual indicated dividend rate of \$.88 per share. This cash dividend is payable on February 28, 2006 to shareholders of record February 2, 2006.

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most up to date production tips, meetings contact the Alabama

Speaker panel members will Below is a listing of the signal and th

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Marshall Lamb of the National 6:00 ping, February 16- Bey

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COMMUNITY NEWS

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Alfa Insurance has promoted Mr. Johnson began his career University and received his law Jerry W. Johnson to Senior Vice at Alfa in 1980 and has served in degree from Jones School of President of Claims. Mr. a number of management posi- Law. He and his wife, Clara, Johnson will have responsibility tions for the company through- have two children, Will and

replaces Terry McCollum, who Deposit Academy. He earned his Johnson of Elba. retired after 43 years with Alfa. BS-Education degree from Troy

ADOR launches new internet service for Alabama motor carriers

announced recently.

about the new electronic service mitting their requests, compared and provided carriers with pass- to mailed-in application Dance being words and instructions on how requests which take several to access the ADOR Website to weeks to process. renew their IFTA licenses elec- The online license renewal tronically. To date, hundreds of program also offers the conven- Basic Ballroom Dance is a fun motor carriers have taken ience of electronic payments, course designed for students of advantage of this service. Based The department utilizes Official all ages, with or without previous Alabama, 1975 on the results of the electronic Payments Corporation (OPC) to ous dancing experience. This Elected officials, candidates by calling 347-2688 or 897-IFTA quarterly tax filing pro- process electronic payments course includes lessons on and PAC's file with the Probate 2211 or visiting our website at tions in writing. Information

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the online application process enue.alabama.gov. The ADOR notified Alabama- can receive their IFTA licenses based carriers in November and decals within days of sub- Basic Ballroom

that over 20% of Alabama- charge customer pays a 2.5% based motor carriers will utilize convenience fee for using the the online IFTA license renewal credit card payment service. Southern Belle

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PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT RELAY FOR LIFE...The Peoples as a result of Hurricane Katrina. Bank of Coffee County (Elba office) is selling chances to win a In response to the FCC's request Relay for Life Valentine Basket. The basket has an estimated value for wireless support, TracFone For more information con- of \$400 thanks to the donations of several local businesses and indiers renewing their 2006 Approximately 4,500 cerning Motor Carrier E-filing viduals. The basket's lucky winner will receive such items as restau-International Fuel Tax Alabama-based motor carriers services, taxpayers should con- rant gift certificates, one night stay at bed and breakfast, candy, Agreement (IFTA) licenses can renew their IFTA licenses dur- tact the department's Motor pedicure and nail polish, body lotion and conditioner, pearl necklace now renew their licenses over ing the IFTA license renewal Carrier Services office at (334) and earrings, purse, watches, hair products, pendant, dozen roses, about eligibility and get more the Internet, ADOR period of December through 242-2999 or visit the depart- balloon, stuffed animal and basket. The drawing will be held Commissioner Tom Surtees February. Motor carriers using ment's Web site at www.rev- Monday, Feb. 13, and tickets currently can be purchased from bank In order to be eligible for the employees. All proceeds generated from this fundraiser will go to free cell phone, the applicant the Coffee County Chapter of the American Cancer Society's Relay must have lived in an area

dancing. Classes will be held on an annual report of contribu- Secretary of States' Office at for review and approval. After the Enterprise campus on tions and expenditures for the 334-242-7210 or their website Monday nights for eight weeks year just past (2005). The dead- at: www.sos.al.us.

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Leisure Swimming is an be available for approximately ice year will receive twice the only to people who already have TRATION DEADLINE. swimming skills. The pool will

opportunity for individuals or 20 hours per week. Individual amount of minutes for each air-time card purchased or halffamily members to maintain fit- fees - \$50.00; family member- price minutes. To assist potential ness through swimming. Open ship fees - \$65.00. NO REGIS- recipients, TracFone's toll-free access number provides an easyto-follow recorded message

with options to repeat the informational steps for clarification. College Financial

> Aid Workshops answer all questions Three FREE Financial Aid Workshops will be held at Enterprise-Ozark - Community College in the coming months. The first workshop is scheduled for February 21 on the Enterprise Campus at the Lurleen B. Wallace Student

The second workshop will be held March 9, at 6:30 p.m. on the Ozark Aviation Campus at the Sasser Cafetorium. The third workshop is set for April 6, at 6:30 p.m., again at the Enterprise Campus location. Participants need to bring

their 2005 Federal Income Tax

Center, s Multipurpose Room, at

returns and W-2 forms to the workshop. Dr. Chip Quisenberry, Director of EOCC, s Student Financial Aid, will lead the workshop and provide valuable information for completing applications to obtain college financial aid for the 2006-2007 academic year. EOCC, s financial aid program assists students and their

families as they face the challenge of paying for college, but it is important to complete financial aid applications as soon as possible. "We want to help you find out early if you qualify for financial aid next year, % says Dr. Quisenberry. ...We will help you file your 2006-2007 Free Application for Student Financial Aid, or FAFSA, on-line. The FAFSA is the foundation all colleges use to determine student eligibility for all federal financial aid, including grants, loans, workstudy, and some scholarship pro-

Students (and parents of dependent students) should visit www.pin.ed.gov and secure a federal Personal Identification Number (PIN) prior to attending the workshop. The PIN will enable the applicant (and the parent) to sign the FAFSA electronically.

Again, applicants MUST bring their 2005 Federal Income Tax returns and W-2 forms to the workshop. Please call me at 334-347-2623, ext. 2214, if you have any questions regarding these workshops.% EOCC Financial Aid staff will

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Last month, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) approved a plan to provide financial support from the Federal Universal Service Fund USF) to provide telecommunications services to persons who were displaced from their homes better able to serve the needs of their administrations, yet there beyond! Wireless created a program to assist Hurricane Katrina evacble the donations of prior years are seeing today. number 1- (800) 800-9873 ing community and a group of Times Mirror Center poll elections). where evacuees can inquire information on the free service.

affected by Hurricane Katrina, as determined by FEMA, and have been approved by FEMA to receive emergency housing assistance. Applicant must provide TracFone with a copy of the FEMA grant letter advising them they are eligible to receive Pursuant to §17-22A-8, Code Forms may be obtained from support, present a copy of a the following: Probate Office Federal or state-issued I.D. and

the comparison) is still playing enemy. the information is verified, TracFone will ship the package to the applicant's current a frenzy over the president's conference to denounce Ayman Chicken Little strategies. The The package includes 300 Security Agency to engage in behind the 1998 bombings of are. Customers who purchase additional airtime during their servcourt order, between possible Nairobi, Kenya? When was the Indiana and known terrorists.

> Just when I thought the party anger at the beheadings in Iraq? Dan Blankenship of Howard Dean was actually When was the last time the Lowell IN, 46356 beginning to throw enough mud Democrats in office, or their at President Bush to damage the supporters who don't hold any National office at all, did anything Committee's winning streak, I besides attack the current presiwas pleasantly surprised to see dent and his policies? I think we the Democrats still don't have a all know the answer to those clue about Honfeland Security. questions.

As much as Sen. Harry Reid Ted Kennedy and terrorist Abu and Rep. Nancy Pelosi would Musab al-Zarqawi sound almost like you to believe that exactly alike in their disdain for

American's civil liberties are the war on terror and President under attack, it just isn't true. In Bush. The terrorist group Wallace Community College program. Funds will also allow According to Buntin, 1462

ulation considers themselves to doing whatever is necessary to be conservative, while only 5% keep our country safe from ter-Charlene Goolsby - Board themselves that way. Many rather have my phone tapped the same results, even the recent of a falling skyscraper. The (2005) study by UCLA's politi- only civil liberties this president cal scientist Tim Groseclose. is guilty of trampling on is the AL) today issued a statement in It's basically the Fox News ability of America's enemies to Channel, Rush Limbaugh, and plot their next attack.

Sean Hannity verses the rest of If the Democrats continue Indian gambling at Fort Payne:

tactics that included intercepting United States Embassies in Dar Dan Blankenship is a free-long administrative process that communications, without a es Salaam, Tanzania, and lance writer from Lowell, a tribe must follow before

press conference to express his Sincerely,

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almost total volunteer Bell revealed - 40% of the U.S. pop- I applaud our president for retention and a school-at-work needs."

Chicken Little and Homeland the media! Yet, somehow, the down the path of criticizing the "I don't believe it's right that fly-over states maintain control president on his remarkable a tribe outside the state of of the country. And that will record concerning Homeland Alabama can operate gambling How fitting that Walt Disney remain the case as long as the Security, the 2006 elections may facilities in Alabama when state Pictures' Chicken Little (though Democrats continue to talk like not yield the results they so law prohibits Alabama citizens the original synopsis better fits they are on the side of our badly need. As Chicken Little from doing so. leaves the movie theaters, it Today, I met with officials in some theaters at the same When was the last time we would be best if the DNC folfrom the Bureau of Indian time the Democratic Party is in heard a Democrat call a press lowed suit and abandoned their

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tions of almost \$25,000 the 12139 and 12949) authorized capitalistic society that has According to project director nated nurse shortage counties, ties," she said. Wallace serves Salvation Army will be much the exact same action under made them millionaires and Kathy Buntin, WCC coordinator and regional healthcare facilities more than 443,000 residents of of health sciences, T.R.A.I.N. report a shortage in virtually 15 rural counties in southeast families in Coffee County. This was no media outrage, at least So when the Democrats will provide a certified nursing every medical profession," said Alabama, southwest Georgia year's donations more than dou- not the magnitude of what we scream "the sky is falling", just assistant program curriculum Buntin. "T.R.A.I.N. targets the and the Florida panhandle. remember the source - the party for entry-level healthcare work- critical shortage in the local The Department of Labor which can be attributed to a car- Media bias is true, as a 1995 of failed ideas (not to mention ers, a healthcare retention sup- workforce with training activi- reported Wallace was one of port lab to improve student ties to address current and future only 70 of 388 grant applica-

tions funded nationwide.

of the press would identify rorists. After all, I'd much U.S. Senator Jef Sessions will fight efforts other such polls have revealed than find myself at the bottom to establish Indian gambling at Fort Payne

U.S. Sen. Jeff Sessions (R- Fort Payne."

decision to allow the National Al-Zawahiri, the mastermind sky is not falling, the blue states the Interior to discuss Indian Indian gaming is allowed, and I intend to work diligently to block it every step of the way. "It is also my understanding

that current law gives Governor Riley the right to veto a proposal such as the one discussed in

The family of Rue Seymore Marler wishes to express their heart-felt gratitude to all.

During this difficult time of loss, your kind visits, calls, cards, flowers, food, thoughts and prayers were such a great comfort for our family. She loved everyone and we appreciate each of

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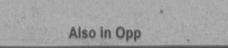


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used to finance numerous Lodge entry fee is \$35.00.

Age 6-11 years \$3.00 each; 12 Smile, (Judged from stage.) be received no later than 8:30 changes at once. years & older \$4.00 each. with a \$5.00 entry fee for each p.m. at practice session on 11 months, 1-2 years, 3-5 years, category, with a \$10.00 entry entry fees and forms to Randy their son, Greg Hanchey. 6-8 years, 9-11 years, 12-14 fee. age will be based upon the age be made from a 5x7 un-matted be made payable to Etha House Saturday, Dec. 10, 2005 of the contestant prior to color or black and white photo- Masonic Lodge #170.

The 2006 "Valentine five contestants) with winners picked up after the pageant. Sweetheart Pageant" will be receiving a trophy, crown, ban- Please put contestants name on held on Saturday, Feb. 11, at 6 ner, flowers and a \$100 savings back of photo. contestants are p.m. at the Elba High School bond. The two alternates will advised to not mail photos. The auditorium. The Elba Masonic receive a trophy and flower. All scoring for all optional cate-Lodge #170 is sponsoring the contestants will receive a trophy gories does not count toward years ago with Bill and JoAnn pageant with all proceeds being in all age divisions! The pageant overall score. The winner only Driggers as the owners. They

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Dothan Campus Tuesday, Feb. menu every day. 14, from 8 a.m. to noon. A separate Teachers Fair will bring school district representatives allure of its own. Hanchey said Hanchey. "So, stop in and have Like It!" from 8 a.m. until noon.

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3334 ROSS CLARK CIRCLE – DOTHAN, AL 36303 Alabama State Bar Regulations require the following. No representation is made that the quality of legal Elba Chamber of Commerce presents... January's Business of the Month The Ranch House

The Ranch House opened 28 in each optional category and served the Elba community all This year we have four age division will receive a ban- those years from one location. In December 2005, the restauas follows: Age 0-5 years Free; Hair, Prettiest Eyes, Prettiest All entry fees and forms must rant experienced two major

Bill and JoAnn Driggers Age divisions will include 0- category, and the Photogenic February 10, 2006. Please mail passed the dipping spoon to White, 5347 Highway 125, Greg and his wife, Lisa, years, and 15-18 years. Pageant Judging for Photogenic will Elba, Al 36323. Checks should opened the doors of The Ranch

A winner and two alternates will be selected in each age division (based on a minimum of p.m. and all photos can be (334) 897-3095, Randy White "My grandparents, John Edmon and Verbie Holley, had Holley's Restaurant, then my (334) 897- 8576 or Ray Kyle parents opened The Ranch House," Greg said. "I'm fortu-There will be no concessions nate now to have customers eating with me that ate with my parents and grandparents."

> While Greg now operates the business, he still gets a helping hand from his parents and grandmother Verbie. He also employs six people at the

Troy University will host a The Ranch House is open six series of five career fairs over days a week for breakfast and three days in February as part of
The Trojan Connection.

Employers and job seekers are

three days in February as part of
lunch (5 a,m. - 2 p,m.). A different menu is offered every day of Employers and job seekers are invited to attend the fairs on the Dethan Transport of the week featuring home-cooked Southern food, but the Dothan, Troy and Montgomery star of the show is that everfamous Ranch House barbecue.

other states to the Dothan seating capacity of the old Campus Thursday, Feb. 16, building allowing seating for approximately 65 customers. At the Troy Campus, job seek- A drive-thru also is available ers can connect with companies now with the new building. for commissioners to open bids two at-large members.

a.m. to 1 p.m. A Teachers Fair is ting of a Southern style restau-Mr. Driggers and The Firm of Morris, Cary, Andrews, also scheduled from 2 p.m. to rant with tin walls and roof. The Enterprise Courthouse and committee, planning commit-Talmadge, Jones & Driggers, LLC Will Continue To Focus 4:30 p.m. on the Troy Campus. County Complex in New tee, agriculture and industry The Trojan Connection culmitures tables from the old build-Brockton); however, at the sug-committee, education commit-

Connection can contact (334) available inside. 983-6556, ext. 1-223. Also added to the new loca- that submitted with a notation tion(s) in total, return the rec-Information is also available at tion is a 15x20 cook house.

Of a corrected date for the bid. ommendation(s), modify the



Dozens of corporations, government agencies and non-profit day for The Ranch House, but organizations will recruit on the barbecue is available on the ness through the years. Hanchey said he looks forward to many more years of serving the community at the The Ranch House.

from Alabama and a variety of the new building has twice the some home-cooking and Ranch

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TALMADGE, JONES & DRIGGERS, LLC Wednesday, Feb. 15, from 10

The inside design also is fit
T nates Thursday, Feb. 16, when the Montgomery Campus welcomes employers and job seek
ers from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

tures tables from the old building while booths have been added along the side walls.

Hanchey also is quick to point opening them. According to the committee will make opening them. According to the committee will make opening them. According to the committee will make opening them. ers from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. out that while the parking lot opening them. According to the recommendation(s) to the Companies interested in regismay seem full at times, there motion approved by commiscompanies interested in regismay seem full at times, there motion approved by commiscompanies interested in registering for The Trojan most likely is still seating room sioners, the unopened bids will Brooks said. "The Commission

"When you see the smoke, The companies will be asked to recommendation(s) or reject mittee structure for Coffee eration." County.

ment," he said.

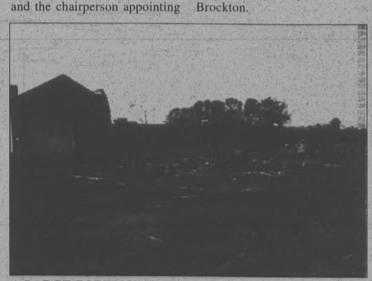
Brooks suggested that each lack of a second.

locations (Elba Courthouse, Brooks included: personnel

be returned to the companies may accept the recommendaresubmit bids to be opened at the recommendation(s). What the next commission meeting. is binding on the Commission Commission chairman is its decision based on the best Bernest Brooks presented his data and advice available at the proposal for a standing com- time the issue is under consid-

At the conclusion of his pres-"This effort will give the cit- entation, Brooks offered a izens more grass root participa- motion to accept the standing tion in their own local govern- committee proposal; however, the motion died on the table for

committee have seven mem- The next meeting of the bers serving three year stag- Coffee County Commission gered terms. He said each com- will be Monday, Feb. 13, at 9 missioner could nominate one a.m. from the community room member from his/her district of the county complex in New



A LARGE PORTION OF THE OLD ELBA HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING now is gone as progress makes way for a new playground facility. While the majority of the school will now only remain in the memory of those who attended classes there, the facility will not be forgotten as the front facade of the old school will become the entrance into the playground. Due to a unexpected problem with the site, the build date originally scheduled for early May most likely will be postponed until late August or early September. However, work on the project and fund raising is an on going event. Important dates associated with the project will be announced in upcoming issues of The Elba Clipper.

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